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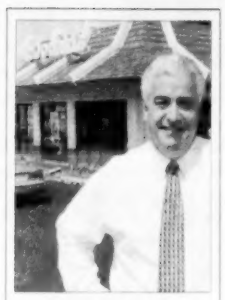

McDonald's avoids demolition

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TOWN TALK

Second ice rink at Phillips

Phillips Academy is getting ready to add a second ice rink to it hockey facility off Main Street.

At their annual spring meetings on campus April 24 and 25, the Phillips Academy Board of Trustees authorized the school's administration to begin design work and preliminary fund raising necessary to add a second rink to the school's hockey facility.

Phillips Academy planned to have an informational meeting about the project at 7 p.m. yesterday, Wednesday, April 30, at the Ted Harrison Rink off Main Street. The meeting was open to the public.

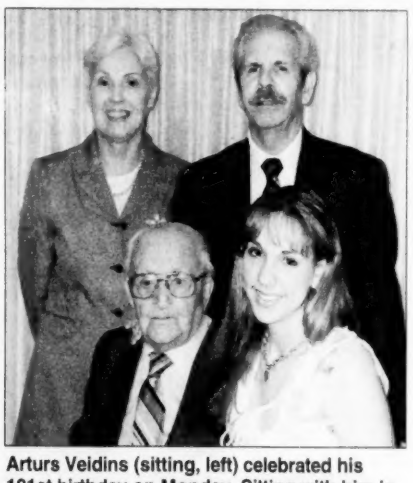
FYI on SARS

In part because Andover gets so many international visitors to its business sector, the town health department has been keeping information about Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome on a desk top near its entrance.

"We have a lot of Asian visitors in our industrial population, so there's always concern with that population, so we're keeping an eye on it," says Everett Penney, health director, "but we haven't seen any indication from the state that there's anything to be concered about here."

As of Monday, April 28, the state had reported 15 "suspect cases" of SARS and two "probable cases," none in Essex County or the Andover area. All but one of those with a possible case of SARS had recently traveled to a location known to have an outbreak of SARS, such as China, Vietnam or Toronto, Canada. The remaining person had been in close contact with someone who may have had SARS.

101ST CELEBRATION



Arturs Veidins (sitting, left) celebrated his 101st birthday on Monday. Sitting with him is his granddaughter Katrina Veidins, and standing are his daughter-in-law, Austra Veidins, and son, Juris Veidins, of Bailey Road.

Fox-y couple hits 50th

More than 100 guests stopped by the 50th wedding anniversary party of "Jim" and Ruth Ann Fox, last Saturday at the Bellevue Golf Club in Melrose.

The Foxes, formerly of Walnut Avenue, Andover, are now living at Fuller Pond Village in Middleton, and raised nine children in town. They lived in Andover for some 40 years before downsizing and moving to their Middleton townhouse.

Their future daughter-in-law Jude Blanchard, who is marrying the youngest Fox, Jason, next year, said it was a great party and Andover had a strong presence. Jim Fox was well known in local

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Bach a finalist in Cambridge

Claudia Bach

By Meir Rinde and Ben Hellman

Superintendent Claudia Bach is one of three finalists to become superintendent of schools in Cambridge, she confirmed Tuesday night.

She is competing against a man who was Haverhill's superintendent for seven years, before he left the city in 1995.

Bach declined further comment, saying she would discuss the matter later this week. Andover School Committee chairwoman Tina Girdwood said the news was "probably not surprising given (Bach's) Harvard connections."

Bach teaches courses at the Harvard University's Graduate School of Education. Her class this year is "Managing Negotiations."

Girdwood said she understood that Cambridge pursued Bach and that it wasn't the first time in Bach's contract with Andover that she had been approached by another system.

"In some respects it's a compliment to Andover. It's a compliment to her," she said. "It takes awhile to adjust to how you think about this kind of thing."

Member Christopher Smith said the School Committee would be meeting soon in executive session to discuss the matter. He said it would not meet in public because contractual matters were to be dis-

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HOUSING VOTES HIGHLIGHT TOWN MEETING

PHOTO BY TIM JEAN

Madelaine St. Amand, Tim Carter and Lori Mattheiss celebrate the victory of their article, meant to help stop a 115-unit housing complex with affordable housing units from coming to River Road.

Cleaner water to flow

By Ben Hellman

How much is it worth to know one's drinking water is as pure as can be? Residents decided it's worth at least $4.48 million. Andover residents at Town Meeting on Monday voted to spend that much to replace their water treatment plant's aging ozone purification system.

The new ozone system will keep the town's drinking water safe and tasting pure, and can be installed without increasing taxes or water bills, said Jack Petkus, director of public works. Water bills have not increased in town since 1994, said Petkus.

Petkus said the article would not have lowered water bills even if it wasn't approved and that water projects only affect water bills, not taxes.

Petkus had to dispel beliefs that this year's article was connected to a water treatment plant expansion plan that was floated last year. The new system will

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Voters seek to halt large 40Bs

Yet one developer says vote will force him to pursue such a project

By Andrea Gregory

Town Meeting voters appeared to want to stop Avalon Bay or a similar large housing project from coming to River Road. But while voters' decision to back a resident-sponsored article may have put a roadblock up for Avalon Bay, another decision has left a separate developer – who planned to build single-family homes and welcome a school to the current Christian Formation Center – saying he must now consider an affordable-housing complex as his only shot at developing the land.

PAZ victorious

Members of Protect Andover Zoning (PAZ) are celebrating a victory after the majority of Town Meeting supported the group's private warrant article seeking to prevent Avalon Bay, a 115-unit housing complex, from coming to River Road.

PAZ asked voters to rescind a 1997 Town Meeting vote authorizing the selectmen and town manager to enter into an inter-municipal sewer agreement with Tewksbury and Lowell. Madelaine St. Amand, PAZ member, said the 1997 plea was to help the Poor Clare Sisters on River Road only – not to open the door to a large project with affordable housing.

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"In fact, the only explanation given for the warrant article was a letter from the abbess asking that water and sewer connections be allowed to their new convent to be built across the street," said St. Amand.

PAZ claims the original warrant article was intended for the nuns of St. Clare and was never intended for projects like the one coming from Avalon Bay. Under Chapter 40B guidelines – sometimes called anti-snob zoning – Avalon Bay is permitted to bypass zoning bylaws to allow its proposed development.

"This is what you voted for," said Tim Carter, of 422 River Road, while projecting a cartoon picture of a nun. "I challenge anyone who would say no to that."

Carter said approving the PAZ article would restore the original 1997 Town Meeting vote, that the sewer agreement was to be used for the nuns only. "We thought tonight's issue was more about a

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Tobacco fight up in smoke?

By Ben Hellman

Five Andover businesses were caught selling tobacco to minors in April, a result tobacco watchdogs find particularly troubling now that the state has slashed funding to the Merrimack Valley's tobacco-control program.

Cuts to such programs in the past have led to significant increases in the number of businesses selling to minors, said Ron Beauregard of Healthy Communities Tobacco Control.

Beauregard said it was a disappointment this week when five stores in town – the most he has ever seen – sold cigarettes to a minor sent in to test how businesses follow tobacco laws. Market Basket, CVS, Barron's Country Store, The Grocery Bag and the Park Street Pub were

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'Bounty' on scientific solutions

Company uses Internet to swap drug co. cash for researchers' answers

By Andrea Gregory

While scientists all over the world are unraveling medical mysteries, an Andover company is working to bridge the gap between drug companies' questions and these scientists' answers.

InnoCentive – at 35 New England Business Center in Andover – is an Internet-based company that asks scientists around the globe to answer the questions that have stumped major pharmaceutical organizations such as its parent company, Eli, Lilly and Co., Proctor & Gamble, and Synngenta. Scientists who can answer the questions are paid cash awards by the companies.

InnoCentive calls itself an "unbiased knowledge broker."

"It's a classic example of what the Internet was meant to be used for," says

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PHOTO BY TIM JEAN

Linking the world of science – Darren Carroll is president of InnoCentive, an Andover firm that connects drug companies with scientists worldwide.

Water

■ **TREATMENT PLANT**

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only replace the 17-year-old purification system and will not expand the plant or increase water output, he told residents.

But the new system is only the first of three big-ticket items planned for the plant. A new filtration system, which will cost about $4.7 million, could be brought to Town Meeting next year, according to Plant Superintendent John Pollano. A plan to expand the plant's administrative offices also is planned for the future.

Town Meeting approved the $4.5 million to replace the ozone purification system with a hand vote. But not everyone was content to go with the flow. Prior to the vote, Standish Circle resident and civil engineer John Wragg argued such an upgrade was unnecessary. He said 99 percent of Massachusetts municipalities use chlorine systems, which are more inexpensive. "With chlorine alone, water-borne disease is not a problem," he said.

DPW Director Jack Petkus claimed the project would not raise water bills.

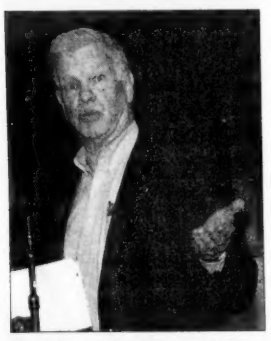
The warrant article still passed with the required two-thirds majority.

Bidding for the project won't begin until after July and the new system will not be online before 2005.

Currently, the plant uses ozone to clean the town's water, but the existing system takes the ozone out of the air, which creates corrosive nitric acid that causes pinprick holes in the equipment. As a result, the plant must close three months each year for maintenance. The repairs take place in the winter, when bacteria in the water is not a problem, say officials.

The town can pay for the project without increasing water rates by using water "enterprise reserves and taking advantage of reductions in debt service as the town completes paying for old water projects," according to the Finance Committee report.

Pollano said if the article had not been approved, it would have been brought back to next year's meeting.



Resident John Wragg thinks the plant improvements are uncessessary.

Mixed message on moderate housing?

Voters approve affordable housing article, but reject attached apartments

By Meir Rinde

Some residents opposed to Town Meeting warrant articles encouraging low-cost housing talked about housing density and traffic, but Robert R. McCumber of Arundel Street had a simpler argument.

"Andover will never be significantly affordable relative to neighboring towns unless we destroy the things that drew us here in the first place," said McCumber, who opposed a proposal allowing more inexpensive accessory apartments. "This article would begin that process."

Enough residents agreed with McCumber and other opponents to defeat the proposal, but over the course of the evening Town Meeting sent a mixed message on housing for moderate-income families. Residents gave nearly unanimous approval to a different proposal that sets guidelines for building affordable homes on lots that would not otherwise meet zoning requirements.

Attached apartments

The measure that failed would have broadened the rules governing special permits for accessory apartments, also known as in-law apartments. Homeowners currently may build such units for sick relatives, but the proposed bylaw would have allowed them to rent units to anyone.

Opponents raised the specter of hundreds of homeowners building accessory units, turning their houses into multi-family residences and changing the characters of their neighborhoods.

"If you define single-family zoning as one house, one household, then this article effectively does away with single-family zoning in Andover," said Paul Cavicchi of Wild Rose Drive.

Supporters unsucessfully argued that allowing more of the units would help older residents cope with rising property tax bills, and said other towns with similar bylaws had seen only a few new units every year.

"We anticipate no more than six or eight per year in Andover," said Lawrence B. Morse, a Salem Street resident and a member of the Andover Housing Partnership Committee, which helped write the proposal. "We're not going to see these springing up like mushrooms in a wet spring."

Affordable housing permits

The committee had more success with a warrant article that creates rules for special permits from the Zoning Board of Appeals for affordable, single-family homes. It will allow construction on lots that were once considered buildable but are now considered unsuitable under newer zoning laws.

To receive a special permit, a builder will have to agree to a permanent deed restriction ensuring the resident household has an income of 80 percent or less of the area median income.

Planning Director Steve Colyer estimated the town has 40 lots that would be eligible for construction under the special permit rules, and that 10 or 12 affordable homes would eventually be built. The rules' small effect will prevent any change in the character of neighborhoods, said Susan Stott of the Andover Housing Partnership Committee.

"It's very difficult to buy a $150,000 home on a $300,000 lot, which is how much land is going for in Andover," she said.

Voters reject both River Road efforts

■ **AVALON BAY**

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violation of Town Meeting government," he said. "We're tired of being hoodwinked."

Prior to this year's Town Meeting, the selectmen voted to recommend disapproval of Article 41 after hearing from Tom Urbelis, town counsel, about the legal ramifications that could follow if the article were approved. Urbelis feared Avalon Bay would sue the town. But Urbelis' words did not have the same effect on Town Meeting voters.

"Those opposing the article are doing so at the threat of a lawsuit," said Christopher Vrountas, of 379 River Road.

"Avalon Bay made them feel like they were backed into a corner," said Lori Mattheiss, of 422 River Road. "If we all stand up against this bully, we can win."

William McLaughlin, representing Avalon Bay, said the Town Meeting vote "wasn't unexpected."

McLaughlin pointed out all 19 of the town officials on the stage of Town Meeting voted against the PAZ article. "It's too bad the rest of the town didn't see things the same way," he said.

McLaughlin said he is disappointed, but the Town Meeting vote is not the last Andover will hear about the Avalon Bay project. McLaughlin said Avalon Bay will proceed, but would not offer details about what its next steps will be.

River Road land

When Town Meeting voters denied a separate land developer's plans for another location on River Road, they thought they were protecting themselves from an episode similar to Avalon Bay, but they may have done the exact opposite.

"I'm going in with a 40B tomorrow," said land developer Ed Doherty following the vote on Article 50.

Doherty had plans to bring 10 single-family homes and a school to 22 acres near 357 River Road. Article 50 would have allowed the Franciscan Friary along with the property they are selling to Doherty to be hooked up to the inter-municipal sewer line. The proposed plans of Doherty did not violate zoning bylaws. While the selectmen voted to recommend disapproval out of fear of opening the door to another Avalon Bay, the Planning Board recommended approval.

"Please do not associate this article with Article 41," said Doherty to Town Meeting voters. Doherty said he would agree to any amendment the town wanted just to see his plans go through.

"We've put specific language in that's meant to protect the town," said Robert Wyman, attorney for the Franciscans. "It's not going to be a 40B project."

Voters, however, did not support the article.

"I tried to work with the town. I don't understand it," said Doherty, following the vote. "(Now,) the only way I can tap into the sewer is with affordable housing,"

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IN BRIEF

New conservation land approved

Town Meeting voted to turn over several parcels of land, including an island, to the Conservation Commission on Tuesday night.

Only Article 55, to turn over a parcel of land in the Olympic Village subdivision met with any debate. Residents feared the Conservation Commission planned to put a trail through the area that could put strangers in close proximity to their yards and houses.

Alan French spoke in support of the article, saying that his wife, the late Mary French, former selectman, had worked to acquire more conservation land for the town.

An article to turn over an island in Fosters Pond to the Conservation Commission for recreation purposes passed quickly. Commission member Paul Finger said the board had no plans to develop the island, and it would be left to nature.

– Ben Hellman

Andover Center Association Spring Coloring Contest open

It's time again for The Andover Center Association's annual Spring Coloring Contest. The prize will be a new bicycle. The contest is open to children 12 and under, and people are invited to pick up contest forms from any Andover Center Association member business. The colored picture must be returned to an ACA member, and will be displayed where possible.

All entries will be eligible for the grand-prize drawing of the new bicycle, and the prize winner will be chosen by a random drawing. All entries must be received by 5 p.m. on June 5.

Food drive at mailbox

Mail carriers will be collecting non-perishable food items on Saturday, May 10, for distribution to food banks within the community.

The National Association of Letter Carriers (NALC) food drive is the single largest food drive in the country, according to a US Postal Service release. More than 500 million pounds of food have been collected by letter carriers since the annual event began in 1993.

Persons wishing to participate in the food drive are asked to put non-perishable food items near their mailbox for pickup by the letter carrier when delivering their mail.

PAST AND PRESENT

OLDER PHOTO COURTESY OF ANDOVER HISTORICAL SOCIETY. MODERN-DAY PHOTO BY TIM JEAN

The front of the home at 9 Locke St. looks about the same now as it did in 1930 (above).

New Brickstone Square management

Urban Retail Properties Co. has been retained to manage the Brickstone Square commercial office complex off York Street in Andover. Brickstone is home to CMGI and the Brickstone Tree.

Correction

Due to incorrect information supplied by the Massachusetts National Guard, the name of an Andover woman involved with an evacuation team in Bosnia was misspelled last week. Her name is Beth Carriere, and she is a sergeant.

Clarification

Last week's article "Ideas for future budgets" on page 7 said junior custodians in the schools make about $30 on overtime. Junior custodians such as Dean LaFitt, the man in the article, max out at $30 per hour on double time during Sundays and holidays, he said.

Health clinics

The Andover Health Department will offer mini clinics on Monday, May 12 from 2 to 3 p.m. at Andover Commons, and on Monday, May 19 from 1 to 2 p.m. at Frye Circle. Senior-center clinics will be held from 2 to 3 p.m. each Wednesday in May. No appointment is necessary.

Quote, unquote . . .

THIS IS WHAT YOU VOTED FOR...I challenge anyone who would say no to that.

– Andover resident Tim Carter of River Road at Town Meeting pointing to a cartoon picture of a nun during the debate over a proposed housing complex in his neighborhood. In 1997, Town Meeting voted to extend a sewer line to help a group of nuns. Now, a developer, Avalon Bay, is looking to hook into the line. **(Story, page 1)**

News Calendar

Thursday, May 1

Board of Assessors, Town Offices, assessor's conference room, 9 a.m.

Zoning Board of Appeals, Town Offices, third floor, 7 p.m.

Saturday, May 3

Zoning Board of Appeals, Town Offices, third floor, 7 p.m.

Monday, May 5

Board of Assessors, Town Offices, assessor's conference room, 9 a.m.

Board of Health, Town Offices, second floor, 6-9 p.m.

Selectmen, Andover High School, computer room, 6 p.m.

Conservation Commission, Town Offices, third floor, 7:45 p.m.

Tuesday, May 6

West Elementary School Council, West Elementary, conference room, 8 a.m.

School Committee, School Administration Building, committee room, 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, May 7

School Building Committee, Wood Hill Elementary School library, 5:30 p.m.

Ballardvale Historic Commission, Town Offices, 7 p.m.

Spring Grove Cemetery, Town Offices, plant & facilities conference room, 7:15 p.m.

Cultural Council, Town Offices, third floor, 7:30 p.m.

Town Meeting

District to protect Tewksbury water

By Ben Hellman

Town Meeting accepted an article to protect Tewksbury Hospital's well-water supply. Article 54 will require residents in the areas affected to apply for added permits and to present maps to the Planning Board before building.

The article was requested by the Planning Board and Board of Health after the State Board of Health asked Andover's local board to bring the article to Town Meeting.

The approved overlay district includes areas bordering Tewksbury that lie west of Interstate 93. The article received little attention and little opposition late on Tuesday night.

Resident Susan Dalton asked why the article did not encompass the business areas around Interstate 93, where Raytheon and other large corporations are. The Tewksbury presenter said the district protected areas from which Tewksbury drew water.

Town Counsel Tom Urbelis said the article was asking residents to go out of their way for another town. "What's in it for Andover?" he asked.

The question irked resident Suzanne Robert, who is a hydrogeologist for the Department of Environmental Protection. "I think that's a very selfish attitude," she said. She added that Andover could find itself asking another town for help.

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TOWN MEETING

Fireworks funding fizzles; holiday lights off

By Andrea Gregory

It's easy to lose the holiday spirit around this time of year and Town Meeting voters chose financial sensibility over holiday celebrations Monday night.

Article 13, calling for $9,000 to host the July 4 fireworks celebration, and Article 14, for $19,500 to be spent on holiday lighting, were both shot down by voters, sending the message this isn't the year for spending unnecessarily.

But maybe the holiday spirit isn't lost. According to Jerry Silverman, former selectman, private donations of more than $400 poured in to pay for fireworks the same night public funding was voted down.

"I'm going to raise the money. One way or another, I'll raise it," Silverman said.

According to Silverman, Andover is in the third year of a three-year contract with a company in Keene, N.H. that puts on the July 4th display.

"I have a good relationship with them," he said. "I think they will be willing to say OK because they think I'll raise the money."

He said for 15 to 20 years he has been raising money to supplement the town's cost for the festivities, but has never raised more than $8,000. Still, he said he is confident that the town can tackle the needed $12,000.

"Fourth of July has sort of been my holiday," said Silverman. "It's simply that it's a community holiday."

About $12,000 should provide residents with a 25- to 30-minute show. Silverman said the familiar jars into which Andover residents always put money for fireworks will be scattered throughout town in the library, Town Offices, Banknorth and other locations.

"We'll have as many as we can around town," he said. "It adds up, which is good."

He said he expects the majority of the needed funds to come through the mail. He said checks can be made out to Fireworks, care of Banknorth at 61 Main St.

FILE PHOTO BY TIM JEAN

If Andover is to have winter holiday lights in December, they will be paid for through private donations.

Winter holiday lights

Money for winter-holiday lighting was also rejected and finding money for those lights may be more difficult.

"I don't know who is going to pick that up, if anyone is going to pick that up," said Silverman.

Debbie Lane, owner of Andovers Gift Shop, said she has not heard anything from the Andover Center Association about what the downtown merchants might do if the town doesn't pay for holiday lighting.

"It would be a sad thing if we're the only town not lit," said Lane.

Lane said a school system in financial need is more important than holiday lights, but she is hoping something can be worked out.

"Sometimes people don't realize what they have until they lose it, and I think that's going to be what it's like," said Selectman Ted Teichert.

Teichert spoke in favor of both articles in the weeks prior to Town Meeting. After the vote he said people won't understand the true effects of their decisions until months from now, when the sky on July 4 remains dark or when the only lights downtown are there to signal traffic.

Voters don't refrain from retaining

New $400,000 concrete support to replace crumbling wall on Red Spring

By Andrea Gregory

Town Meeting voters decided the retaining wall on Red Spring Road wasn't something to wait on after hearing Jack Petkus, director of public works, tell the story of how the wall once collapsed, taking part of the road down with it. He said if it left the wall alone, Andover could expect to see history repeat itself and the wall to fall again.

"I can tell you, definitely, it will occur. I just can't tell you when," said Petkus.

The wall runs about 200 feet along Red Spring Road, between Cuba Street and Shawsheen Road, keeping the road intact and preventing it from crumbling into the Shawsheen River. Monday night's decision will cost Andover $400,000 to replace the old mason retaining wall with poured concrete. Petkus guessed the wall was about 80 years old.

Petkus brought slides showing gaps, loose rocks and the physical decay of the wall. He said parts of the sidewalk have fallen six inches and the bottom of the wall is kicking out, causing movement in the structure.

"If you had this in at your home you would be fixing it in a hurry," he said to Town Meeting voters.

He called the open spaces and movement of the stones a dangerous combination and said leaving the wall for another year would be a gamble. After the meeting Petkus said the money was an estimate he was hoping to stick by during the reconstruction of the wall. He said the amount will cover the cost of engineers, construction and materials.

PHOTO BY TIM JEAN

The stone wall supporting Red Spring Road will be replaced, beginning this fall, at a cost of $400,000.

"It's an estimate now based on our best numbers," said Petkus.

According to Petkus, construction projects of this type typically take a couple of months to complete, and could last as long as a year. He said the project would not start before this fall.

Now that residents know the wall will be replaced and can roughly expect when it will happen, the next question is what people driving through or living in the area can expect.

"As far as detours, we're going to try and keep it to a minimum," said Petkus.

He said he doesn't think the town will need to shut down Red Spring Road and is hoping to keep one lane open at all times.

Petkus said the alternative will be a detour onto Cuba Street, which will not be easy for drivers or pleasant to residents of the neighborhood.

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TOWN MEETING

2004 BUDGET

$113M, program cuts approved

By Meir Rinde

Susan K. Davis' voice trembled as she told Town Meeting how much the town's schools have helped her son, a seventh-grader who has struggled since third grade.

"If it weren't for the teachers, the support services they provide, just the patience, my son wouldn't be where he is today," she said. "I'm very concerned that if we cut back, the students will be struggling and the teachers will be struggling."

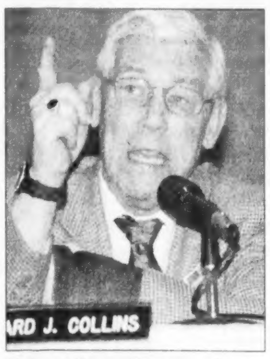
But after she and a handful of other people spoke against a budget that will cut the equivalent of 33 of Andover's 523 teachers, residents approved the plan by a wide majority, settling the most highly debated issue of Town Meeting's first session Monday night.

The meeting was lightly attended, and many of the hundreds of folding chairs set out in the Andover High School Field House were empty. Town Clerk Randy Hanson said about 500 people attended – far below the 1,500 town officials expected. Last year 2,158 people went to the meeting.

Despite teachers' jobs being on the line, residents were resigned to the spending cuts because of Andover's tight budget and cuts in state aid money.

"In my book, there wasn't a vital issue," said Fred Stott of Robandy Road.

Finance Committee Chairwoman Joanne F. Marden said voter turnout Monday night was smaller than in the past because no tax boost was being decided.



School Committee member Dick Collins: "We can't do this to the kids of this town."

Instead, voters were considering what cuts to live within the proposed budget. Town Meetings concerning tax increases "always brings more people out," she said.

The overall town budget for the fiscal year that starts July 1 will be $113 million, including $46.8 million for schools. The budget will grow about 2 percent, with some of the new money going to pay for items such as soaring health-insurance and special-education costs.

In addition to the school cuts, town departments will lose 13 jobs through retirement and other attrition. But some speakers indicated they believed the schools were hit particularly hard, or that Andover could spend its money differently.

"We are not overspending in any department in this town, but we are killing our schools," said Dick Collins, School Committee member. "We are killing our schools in comparison to what's happening to other areas of the town.

"I have spent my entire life linked with this school system," he said. "The kids that are going to be punished (by these cuts) won't get another chance."

"I'd rather have a health teacher and a phys ed teacher than a laptop computer," said Mary Robb, Andover High teacher.

The expected loss of at least $1.1 million in state aid is partly responsible for the budget crunch, Marden said. A special Town Meeting may be needed to approve additional cuts in the fall if state cuts are even deeper, she said. "Andover cannot afford business as usual," said Marden.

Free cash dwindling

Far less available to cover overruns

By Ben Hellman

The budget approved by Town Meeting has put off problems that town boards and residents will have to deal with eventually – possibly at a special Town Meeting later this year, said Finance Committee Chairwoman Joanne Marden.

"This is not gloom-and-doom rhetoric. I am here to tell you that the financial crisis is real. Nothing we see on the horizon tells us this is just a one-year problem," Marden told residents Monday night.

Marden said this week the town's free cash amount – the amount of money certified by the state as available to spend – was being dipped into again this year for spending the town cannot sustain on an annual basis. Free cash is what Town Meeting can legally spend. Money left over in free cash after Town Meeting is customarily used to cover special education cost overruns – something Marden said has been a yearly event in recent history.

Last year, money left in free cash after Town Meeting was needed to cover special education increases, snow-removal costs and an unexpected rise in health-insurance expenses. The costs prodded the schools and town to cut from their budgets further to make sure there would be a free-cash cushion next year, but the money remaining after Town Meeting this year will still be nearly half of what it was last year.

The amount of certified free cash available both before and after Town Meeting has declined in recent years. A declining balance means that the town is spending more on an annual basis than it is collecting in revenues, said Marden.

The town had $3.3 million to spend this year at Town Meeting, down from $3.8 million last year. Marden said it will be bleaker next year. "I don't see it getting back to that $3 million," she said.

Marden said the term "free cash" is a misnomer and leads people to believe that it is a surplus account that can be spent in emergencies. She said attempts to change the term have failed because people are used to calling it free cash.

Year	Certified Free Cash Going into Town Meeting	Amount Remaining after Town Meeting
1999	$5,337,761	$1,186,753
2000	$3,652,583	$842,274
2001	$3,829,165	$980,212
2002	$3,767,004	$843,528
2003	$3,340,240	$485,158

PHOTO BY TIM JEAN

Mike and Sharon Ristuccia moved an historic home to property next to their own South Main Street home. With the new historic-preservation article, they hope to hook the home up to utilities and renovate it.

Preserving historic homes

Bylaw allows such homes to remain on smaller lots

By Ben Hellman

Residents at Town Meeting approved a plan that will protect historic homes by making it easier for owners to keep the homes at their historic location or move the homes to lots that are smaller than normally required.

The article would require residents seeking to preserve or move historic homes to smaller lots to receive a special permit from the Board of Appeals.

Preservation Commission Chairwoman Karen Herman predicted the new historic preservation bylaw would affect only one building every five years, but said it is still an important bylaw to help protect Andover's history. "It's a tool we really need," she said after the vote.

Herman noted 32 special permits are already required to move a house. Historic homes would not be allowed to move into neighborhoods, according to the article, if they were inappropriate "with respect to architectural and visual compatibility."

> "It's a tool we really need."
>
> KAREN HERMAN, PRESERVATION COMMISSION CHAIRWOMAN

Planning Board Chairman Paul Salafia called the process leading to the article "the perfect example of how town government should work."

The warrant article was first submitted at the 2002 Town Meeting by a private resident, Michael Ristuccia. Ristuccia had moved his home to a lot that was too small to allow for utilities to be hooked up, and he hoped his bylaw would allow him to renovate the historic home.

But Ristuccia withdrew his article last year after the Planning Board said it wanted to make changes to it before they supported it. The Planning Board worked on the article and brought a more comprehensive article to Town Meeting this year.

Still, resident Mike Dusa spoke against the new article this year, saying he thought it would benefit one resident, meaning Ristuccia. He said he was concerned about houses being moved to smaller lots and the new traffic that trend could bring to town.

Resident Paul D'Ambra introduced two amendments to the article after his wife Pat spoke against the article, charging that it weakened property owners' rights. The amendments failed.

Two other articles – to allow for a 12-month delay before historic structures are demolished, and to allow town leaders to restrict "inappropriate structural or architectural changes" to a historic building – were also approved.

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23 Computer Kids Grades K/1/2
26 Science or Wizardry Grades 1/2/3
27 Math Mania Grades 1/2/3
28 Pop Up-Books Grades 1/2/3
29 Earthquakes & Volcanoes Grades 2/3/4
30 Kung Fu Kids Grades 2/3/4/5
33 Native American Art Grades 3/4/5/6
34 Astronomy Grades 4/5/6
PM (12-2:30 DAILY)
35 Under the Sea Ages 3/4/5
36 Fabric Fun Ages 4/5
37 Instrument Making Ages 4/5/6
38 Artists Workshop Ages 4/5/6
39 Understanding Animals Ages 4/5/6
40 Little Linguist Spanish Ages 4/5/6
41 Art and Drama Ages 5/6/7
42 Pop Up-Books Grades 5/6/7
43 Science or Wizardry Grades K/1/2
46 Advanced Computer Kids Grades 1/2/3
47 Orienteering Grades 1/2/3
48 Picture Stories Grades 1/2/3
49 Mystery Madness Grades 2/3/4
50 Jump Rope Jubilee Grades 2/3/4/5
51 Archaeology Grades 2/3/4/5
52 Rocket Launch Grades 3/4/5/6
53 Play Production Grades 3/4/5/6
54 Earthquakes & Volcanoes Grades 3/4/5/6
55 Stained Glass Art Grades 4/5/6
Session II: July 14-18
56 Adventures in Science Grades K/1/2
NOTE: ALL-DAY COURSE (9:00AM-2:30PM daily)
AM (9-11:30 DAILY)
57 Tot Art Ages 2/3 (w/adult)
60 Creepy Crawlies Ages 4/5
61 Jr. Computer Kids Ages 4/5
62 Number Soup Ages 4/5
65 Science or Wizardry Ages 5/6/7
66 Hoop Stars Ages 8/9/10
68 Adventures in Teamwork Grades K/1/2
69 Computer Kids Grades K/1/2
70 Fiesta Grades K/1/2
71 Food for Thought Grades K/1/2
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75 Photojournal Grades 2/3/4
76 Gingerbread Cottages Grades 2/3/4/5
78 Art Smart Grades 3/4/5/6
79 Mass Media Blast Grades 3/4/5/6
80 Potter Power GRades 4/5/6
81 Biology and Beyond Grades 4/5/6
PM (12-2:30 DAILY)
83 Puppet Workshop Ages 4/5
84 Creepy Crawlies Ages 4/5/6
86 Blast Off Ages 4/5/6
88 Toy Makings Ages 5/6/7
89 Science or Wizardry Ages 5/6/7
90 Gingerbread Cottages Grades K/1/2
91 Fiesta Grades K/1/2
92 Adventures in Teamwork Grades K/1/2
93 Starlight Express Grades K/1/2/3
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95 Advanced Computer Kids Grades 1/2/3
97 Off-Loom Weaving Grades 2/3/4
98 Potter Power Grades 2/3/4
100 Rocket Launch Grades 3/4/5/6
101 Biology and Beyond Grades 3/4/5/6
102 Impressionism Grades 4/5/6
103 Aide Internship Grades 5/6
Session III: July 21-25
104 Adventures in Science Grades K/1/2
NOTE: ALL-DAY COURSE (9:00AM-2:30PM daily)
AM (9-11:30 DAILY)
105 Kaleidoscope Ages 3/4
106 Alphabet Soup Ages 3.5/4/5
107 Knights and Castles Ages 4/5
108 Discovering Dinosaurs Ages 4/5
109 Jr. Computer Kids Ages 4/5
110 Mask Mania Ages 4/5
111 Movin' and Groovin' Ages 4/5/6
112 Science Sampler Ages 5/6/7
113 Art & Drama Ages 5/6/7
115 Edible Art Grades K/1/2
116 Computer Kids Grades K/1/2
117 Treasure Island Grades K/1/2
118 Video Live Grades K/1/2
119 Geology Grades K/1/2
120 Food for Thought Grades K/1/2
121 Sign Language Grades K/1/2
122 Potter Power Grades 2/3/4
123 Pioneering Grades 2/3/4
124 Cartooning Grades 2/3/4/5
125 Stamping Sensations Grades 3/4/5
126 Sculpture Grades 3/4/5/6
127 Author Author Grades 3/4/5/6
128 Photojournal Grades 4/5/6
PM (12-2:30 DAILY)
129 Disney Delights Ages 3.5/4/5
130 Storybook Cooking Ages 4/5
131 Creepy Crawlies Ages 4/5/6
132 Discovering Dinosaurs Ages 4/5/6
133 Knight and Castles Ages 4/5/6
134 Science Sampler Ages 5/6/7
136 Art and Drama Ages 5/6/7
137 Soccer Savvy Ages 6/7/8
138 Clown Alley Grades K/1/2
139 Jewelry Making Grades K/1/2
140 Treasure Island Grades K/1/2
141 Stamping Sensations Grades K/1/2
142 Music Mania Grades 1/2/3
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Selling to minors

■ **TOBACCO SALES**

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the offending businesses. Beauregard said his program considers the breaches to be negligence, not an intent to break the law.

Beauregard said it came as a surprise because during the last two checks, no business in Andover sold to a minor. During a check early in 2002, four sales were made.

The April violations came just days after the House Ways and Means budget cut all funding to Healthy Communities, something Beauregard said he knows can affect how businesses follow the laws.

When the Stoneham, Reading and North Reading tobacco control program was cut, the towns were integrated into Beauregard's territory. He said the stores thought tobacco-control laws would go unenforced and he saw a significant rise in sales to minors. In towns where a zero- to 20-percent violation rate was the norm, Beauregard suddenly saw a sales rate of 40 to 50 percent. "That's way out of whack," he said.

Beauregard said one Andover store responded to the surprise inspection with the comment "Oh, you're still out there?"

Beauregard hopes he and his program will still be out there when the final state budget is decided.

Healthy Communities is mainly concerned with preventing youth access to tobacco, but Beauregard helped the Andover Board of Health prepare and present a warrant article Tuesday night that would allow the town to separate fines from tobacco-license suspensions.

The article was approved and will help the Board of Health avoid state appeals of its decisions. Businesses can appeal fines to the state, but license suspension will be under town jurisdiction.

Superintendent looking

■ **BACH**

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cussed.

The Cambridge School Committee will hold public interviews of the finalists tomorrow, Friday at 4 p.m. at the Cambridge Rindge and Latin School, according to the school department Web site. A decision will be made May 13.

The finalists are Bach; Dr. Thomas Fowler-Finn, superintendent in Fort Wayne, Ind., who was superintendent of Haverhill schools; and Dr. MAK Mitchell, director of learning for Seattle, Wash., schools.

The salary for the Cambridge superintendent will range from $145,000 to $175,000. The specific figure will be negotiated with the person chosen for the job.

Bach, 59, became Andover's superintendent in 1998, after serving as superintendent of the small town of Milton-Freewater, Ore. for three years. She earns $112,476 a year and is in the second year of her second four-year contract in Andover.

Fowler-Finn was Haverhill superintendent from 1988 to 1995, when he left to become superintendent in Fort Wayne. Former Haverhill Mayor James A. Rurak said Fowler-Finn injected modern ways of learning into Haverhill schools. He was known for his energy and leadership, but was also criticized for his handling of the special education program, and some thought he was unreceptive to suggestions and criticism.

Fowler-Finn's trademark was to visit schools – roaming the halls and stopping into classrooms to observe teachers and students.

The former Cambridge superintendent, Bobbie D'Alessandro, left the job in February when the School Committee refused to renew her contract after six years of service, according to a letter committee member Nancy Walser wrote to constituents last month. The 7,000-student district's 15 elementary schools and one high school have struggled for at least a decade with wide disparities in student performance.

"Promises of greater accountability and a priority on excellence were not fulfilled and so I did not feel comfortable renewing her contract," Walser wrote. "At this point, I believe that Cambridge needs an experienced superintendent with a track record for organizing and supporting all departments and principals around specific goals for improving teaching and learning."

Two weeks ago the Cambridge School Committee voted to adopt a hotly debated plan to close two elementary schools that suffered from declining enrollments, in part to reduce the district's $3.8 million deficit, according to news reports.

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Wanted: Solutions that have stumped scientists

■ **INNOCENTIVE**

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Darren Carroll, CEO and president.

From InnoCentive's Web site, anyone can learn what is preventing some of the next wonder drugs from working. Registered users are given additional details and a chance to solve the posted problems. Registration for potential problem solvers is free. Science whizzes who supply the correct answers to currently posted problems will receive awards of between $5,000 and $250,000, depending on the problem. Carroll says there is no cap to the incentive money that companies can offer.

> **"We're putting bounty posters on science solutions."**
>
> DARREN CARROLL, CEO AND PRESIDENT OF INNOCENTIVE.

Carroll says companies pay a small annual fee to use InnoCentive, and pay scientists the award money for the correct answer. InnoCentive is the middleman, delivering the cash award to the winner, and collecting additional money for itself. Aside from the yearly fee, InnoCentive doesn't make money unless a problem is solved, he says.

"We have basically a bounty system," says Carroll. "We're putting bounty posters on science solutions."

Carroll compares it to the Old West's "wanted: dead or alive" posters, a theme that scientist Alpheus Bingham had in mind when he conjured up the idea. Bingham, InnoCentive chairman and a fan of the Wild West, came up with the idea for the company.

Carroll says he's not a scientist or a chemist, but worked alongside Bingham and Jill Panetta, a chemist, to make InnoCentive a reality. All three founders were employed by Lilly before InnoCentive launched in July 2001.

According to Carroll, there were some hurdles to overcome in the beginning.

"We had to prove to everybody we could put the problems out without violating intellectual property rights," says Carroll. InnoCentive also had to prove people would come and summit solutions at their own financial risk.

Carroll says pharmaceutical companies don't want their competitors to find out the direction they're headed in or what they're working on, so InnoCentive is very careful about what is posted. InnoCentive keeps the companies' identities confidential. The bigger picture that the posted problem fits into is kept a secret.

"This kind of marketplace works completely on trust," he says. "People have seen we're even-handed."

Carroll says his company is working with 10 drug companies. While they haven't all gone public about using InnoCentive, he says they are all Fortune 1000 companies.

Carroll says the in-house scientist at InnoCentive don't try to solve problems. They work on ways to word and format the questions. "The solvers out there have to believe we're totally neutral," he says.

People who attempt to tackle these problems do not know what they're aiming to solve, or what company they'll assist. "Pretty much every time they guess they're wrong," Carroll says. "They learn what they need to, to solve the problem."

He says the names of solvers do show up on patents, which may be the only time they become aware of what their work actually played a part in. But that is not stopping participants from registering, he says.

"We've grown from zero solvers to over 20,000 solvers," says Carroll. Carroll calls those who register, "unique prepared minds."

He says some people already know the answer to a problem as soon as they see it. Some may have even solved a problem years ago and have it waiting and ready to go.

The problems are broken down into two categories. "Paper solutions," problems solved without entering a lab go for a minimum of $5,000. Carroll says it's possible for someone to solve one of these problems in an hour, but such a quick solution would be unusual. Still, he says "paper solutions" take less time and trigger more responses, and are usually up on the Web site for four to six weeks.

"Wet solutions," which need to be done in a lab, start at $20,000 and usually require samples to be sent with the written solution. Carroll says the individuals who work on "wet problems" are investing their own time, money and material hoping it pays off. These problems usually take three or four months to solve.

"Sometimes (companies) buy more than one solution," Carroll says to prevent competitors for getting their hands on certain information, or to use as backup.

To date 25 problems have been solved, which Carroll says is a 40-percent solution rate. He adds the solutions have come from 45 countries.

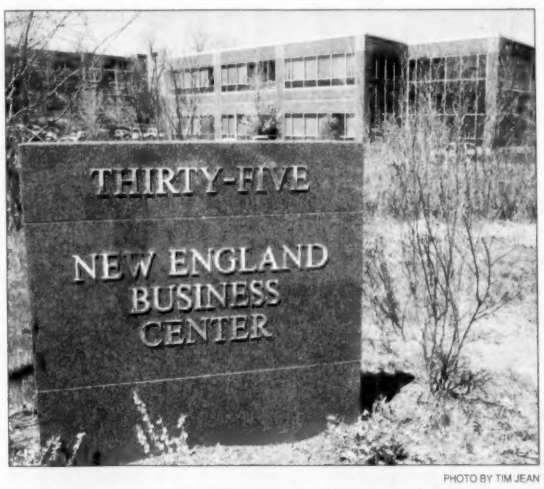
"Failure is very common in R and D," he says. "In fact if you're not failing, you're probably not doing anything important."

He says scientists from certain countries are prohibited from participating in the program, such as those from Iran, North Korea and Libya. "We have to forbid scientists there from solving for now," he says.

Once a scientist is deemed a winner, there is an extensive process to prove who they are. Carroll says thus far it hasn't been a problem.

There are about 80 problems now posted by InnoCentive. Carroll says he expects 30 more to go up by the end of the month. "How many brains are available to think about this topic?" asks Carroll.

Anyone who wants to dip into the world of scientific dilemmas, and possibly make some money by contributing to the vast pool of worldwide solution, can do so at www.InnoCentive.com.



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Business

BRIEFS

Vaughan joins Andover firm

The law firm of Devine, Millimet and Branch, Professional Association announces that Brian G. Vaughan has joined the firm as a member of the corporate department in the firm's Andover office. His legal practice includes the areas of real estate law, zoning, land use and development, commercial finance, corporate and business law.

Brian Vaughnan

Vaughan joins the firm from Peabody and Arnold in Boston, where his practice focused on real-estate matters including financing, leasing and acquisition/disposition of real property interests. He received a bachelor's degree cum laude in business administration, with a concentration in finance and a minor in sociology, from Villanova University in 1990. He received his doctorate from Boston College Law School in 1997. He is a member of the New Hampshire and Massachusetts Bar Associations, and an alternate member of the Plaistow Zoning Board. Vaughan currently resides in Plaistow, N.H. with his wife, Gerri, and their two children.

Hopping to it for Easter Seals

Coupon program

On May 5, D'Angelo and Papa Gino's restaurants will kick off their annual coupon campaign to support Easter Seals and the Genesis Fund. Throughout May guests – such as those to the Papa Gino's in Shawsheen Plaza – have the opportunity to donate $1 to support the charitable work of these two organizations. The companies provide 12 coupons for over $30 worth of savings.

Volleyball

A total of 13 teams played Easter Seals Volleyball for Independence recently at Merrimack College in North Andover. They raised $6,096 for Easter Seals services that help men, women and children with disabilities expand their independence. Johnson Controls, Inc. was the top fundraiser, contributing $743 to Easter Seals. The team was managed by Ken Chartrand.

Other teams raising over $450 were: CGI Information Technology, SSG, BOC Edwards, Equity International Inc., First United Methodist Church, Vanaesse and Associates and Hall Sheet Metal Works.

Proceeds from Easter Seals Volleyball for Independence support adapted Summer camp, physical and occupational therapy, speech therapy, advocacy, technology for independence, job training and employment services, and disability resource information.

Student runs painting branch

University of Massachusetts Amherst student and Andover High School graduate Adam Gardner is running a branch of College Works Painting. While completing 16 credits at school in both journalism and political science, he

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LAWSUIT SETTLED

McDonald's holds the demolition

Restaurant serves renovation plan to end suit, improve handicapped access

By Judy Wakefield

There will be no demolition of the McDonald's restaurant on North Main Street after all.

Instead, the restaurant's owner and an Andover customer who sued the McDonald's over its handicapped accessibility have agreed on a renovation plan that will improve access at the Andover building, which was built in 1962.

Store owner Chuck Lietz, who lives in North Andover, said there was no money changing hands in the lawsuit settlement. Rather, the complainant was satisfied with plans to renovate the store's bathrooms and lobby.

"It's been a long 18 months, but the matter has been resolved and I am very, very happy about that," Lietz said.

The makeover started this week, with new landscaping and paving. An outdoor freezer was removed, adding four parking spaces to the lot, according to Lietz.

Plans for the bathrooms and lobby renovations still need to be approved by the Andover Board of Health. Lietz said he expects approval within a month. Renovation work will be done at night and there are no plans to close the restaurant during the renovations.

The current bathrooms in the restaurant have been described as "very narrow" and "too small" for wheelchairs by the chairman of Andover's disabilities commission.

Justin Cappola could not be reached before *Townsman* presstime, but he has said he does not bring his wheelchair-bound son to the restaurant because the handicapped access is so bad. He has also said the lawsuit was filed by a man from Andover.

Disabled customers will certainly be happy to hear about the renovations and Lietz is anxious to get them back to his restaurant.

"The bottom line is that I just wanted this fixed," said Lietz, who has owned the Andover restaurant for five years. "This is a win-win situation for everyone... I want to get these customers here."

It was last Jan. 13 when the restaurant applied for a demolition permit with Andover's Zoning Board of Appeals. Lietz planned to demolish the restaurant and rebuild it to settle the lawsuit. Those plans called for a temporary shut down to allow workers to create a newer, slightly smaller McDonald's that would offer better handicapped access.

"I have been waiting for this to happen," Lietz said of the new agreement, adding he feels like "a new man" now that the lawsuit has been settled and the makeover is happening.

The existing McDonald's is the only fast-food restaurant with a drive-up window in Andover, and a bylaw prevents any new drive-up windows from being built.

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Chuck Lietz, owner of the Andover McDonald's, will make the fast-food restaurant more handicapped accessible through a renovation project. Previously, it was thought he would have to demolish the building and rebuild it.

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David Gonzalez takes care of a customer on Tuesday. Besides a new lobby and bathrooms, the shop will see a new counter.

Former Andover plant manager to lead Raytheon Co.

Surprise: Burnham leaves; Swanson, manager here from '84-'89, assumes CEO post of missile builder

By Andy Murray

Daniel P. Burnham's surprise announcement last week that he would step aside as Raytheon Co.'s chief executive officer came as encouraging news to locals with Raytheon ties.

Burnham's successor, William H. Swanson, 54, was general manager of Raytheon's Andover plant from 1984 to 1989, and drove sales of original versions of the Hawk and Patriot missiles. During that time he also gained a reputation as a hard-working engineer with an open communication style.

"He was a shirt-sleeves kind of manager who spent time with the workers on the floor, and he'd roll up his sleeves and pitch in whenever needed," said Robert F. Hatem, a Raytheon retiree living in Lowell.

The announcement caught many off-guard, coming at the end of Raytheon's annual shareholders meeting at the company's Lexington headquarters.

"It is with considerable emotion I have asked the board to allow me to retire," Burnham said, saying he wanted to begin a more "personal" phase in his life and Swanson was ready to replace him.

"It's time ... Bill's ready," said Burnham, who will remain on the board of directors as "non-executive chairman."

Congressman Martin T. Meehan, D-Lowell, who worked closely with Swanson in securing defense contracts for Raytheon, said he thinks Swanson understands Massachusetts' importance to the company, particularly its Andover plant, where workers assemble circuit card assemblies used across Raytheon's product lines.

"He's been in Massachusetts for a long time," Meehan said, "and I think that Bill has a sense of the contribution the Andover Center of Excellence makes to the company as a whole. He's been at it for a long time, and understands how to grow the company. I think the time is right for Bill to step into the head position."

The news of Burnham's departure played up disagreements that have been growing over Raytheon's performance. Retirees like Jerry Brody, 71, of Framingham said he was pleased the company was going back to its roots by choosing a former engineer to run it.

"I think it's a good move," said Brody, who also was an engineer.

Fred Shepard of Haverhill, a former facilities manager at the Andover plant, said Swanson encouraged a number of outreach programs called "user-maker" meetings in which workers traveled to military sites to show off and explain Hawk and Patriot missiles.

The summits drove sales and boosted morale, capped by a 1991 visit to Andover by President George H.W. Bush, who thanked workers personally for the Patriot missiles used in the Gulf War.

"From a marketing point of view, he marketed that facility very well," Shepard said.

Swanson joined Raytheon straight out of California Polytechnic State University, where he earned a bachelor's degree in industrial engineering in 1972. Last year, the company named him

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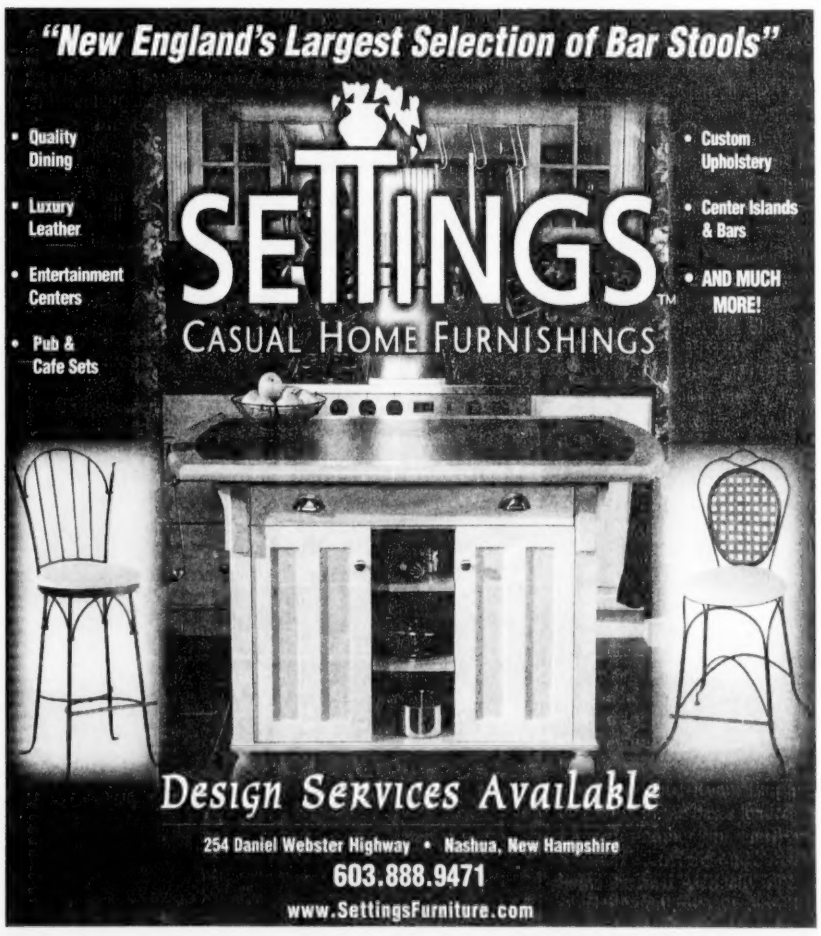

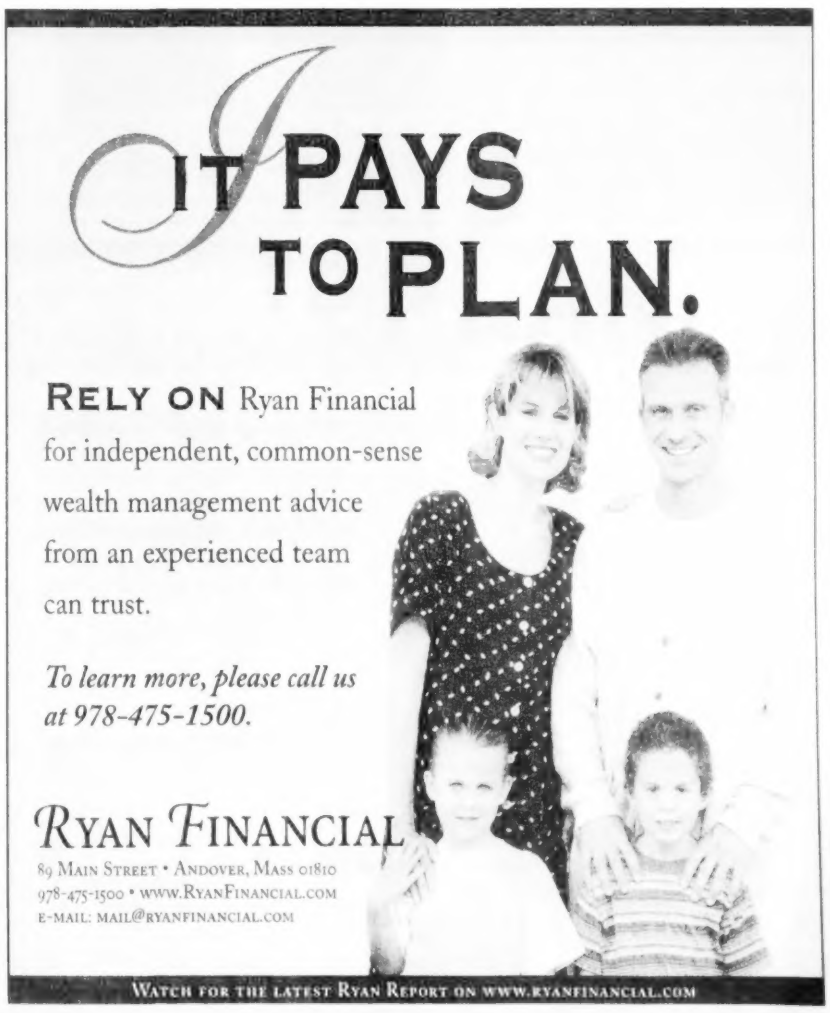

New chief was Andover plant's boss

■ RAYTHEON

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president, a new position reporting directly to Burnham. He oversaw the company's reorganization to capitalize on potential defense and homeland security contracts.

"It has been my pleasure to work with all the talented individuals among Raytheon's employees," an emotional Swanson said after the announcement. "I know without them I would not be here today."

Swanson, who earned $670,280 last year, will see his salary climb to $925,000, not including bonuses and stock options.

Burnham, 56, who is approaching the five-year mark as the company's top executive, received a standing ovation from shareholders, but mixed reviews from employees and analysts.

Raytheon stock soared to nearly $75 a share in July 1999, shortly after Burnham became CEO, but plummeted, dropping as low as $17.50 a share in March 2000. Raytheon shares closed up 1.8 percent yesterday, at $30.30.

Paul Nisbet, an aerospace and defense analyst with JSA Research, said that while Burnham had doubled revenues and quadrupled profits for his previous employer, AlliedSignal, his tenure at Raytheon had been hampered by problems. A planned sale of Raytheon's engineering and construction business blew up when the buyer filed for bankruptcy and charged Raytheon with misrepresenting the unit's finances. A downturn in business travel, meanwhile, forced sharp cutbacks at Raytheon's commercial jet business.

Defense analyst said they suspected Raytheon might not have renewed Burnham's contract because of disappointing earnings. After five years with Burnham, Nisbet said, Raytheon lagged behind peers like Lockheed Martin and Northrop Grumman.

"I have to think it's probably a five-year contract that he had, and that the company's stock has not performed well during that time," Nisbet said.

Raytheon's new CEO was head of Raytheon's Andover plant in the late 1980s when workers traveled to military sites to show off and explain Hawk and Patriot missiles. The visits boosted sales prior to the first Iraq war.

Robert Friedman, an aerospace and defense analyst for Standard & Poor's, said it was impossible to speculate about the reasons for Burnham's departure, but ongoing problems with Raytheon's commercial businesses may have played a role.

"The bottom line is all these snafus happened under his watch. I mean there is a point where the buck stops at the top," Friedman said.

Brody said Burnham had often disappointed employees by emphasizing the bottom line over personnel, but said the former CEO's total work on behalfof the company should not be overlooked.

"I think he has done a remarkable job in five years," Brody said.

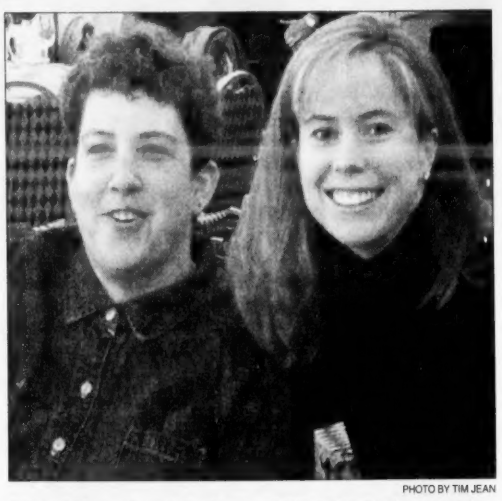
Others at last week's shareholder meeting were not so forgiving.

James Rodehoust, a union representative from Wichita, Kan., clashed with Burnham at the meeting, calling the company's management "unpatriotic."

Nearly 600 workers at the company's aircraft division had lost their jobs in recent months, while work had been sent to foreign countries, Rodehoust said.

"We believe it is un-American to send our work to Mexico when they burned our flag during the war (with Iraq)," Rodehoust told shareholders. "We believe it is un-American for our soldiers to return home and find their jobs gone. It's un-American."

Visibly angered, Burnham said none of his actions as CEO could ever be misconstrued as unpatriotic. "Don't ever come here and question my patriotism or the patriotism of this company. Don't do it," Burnham said.



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Cristen Maxwell and Andover resident Tabitha Ross work at Holland & Knight law firm, which was awarded Employer of the Year by Best Buddies Massachusetts.

Resident recognized for mentoring at firm

Program links 'buddies' with jobs

Best Buddies Massachusetts, an organization dedicated to enhancing the lives of people with intellectual disabilities by providing opportunities for one-to-one friendships and integrated employment, presented its Employer of the Year award to the law firm of Holland & Knight this year. The award was accepted by Tabitha Ross, human resources manager of the commercial law firm with more than 1,250 lawyers in 25 offices in the US. Ross hails from Andover.

For the past four years, Cristen Maxwell, a Best Buddies Jobs participant from Brookline has worked as a file clerk and data-processing assistant at the firm, with mentoring from Ross. "The employment pairing has worked so well because both Cristen and Tabitha are committed to making this job partnership a success for both sides," said Kimberly Morrell, Best Buddies Jobs Program Supervisor.

Holland & Knight is one of 16 companies in the Boston area that have partnered with the Best Buddies Jobs Program. Best Buddies State Director Kathleen Burns sees many positive results from this program that assists individuals in locating and maintaining jobs of their own choosing by providing ongoing support and training. Individuals earn an income, pay taxes, and work in an environment alongside others in the community. "We hope that other companies will see the success of the Holland & Knight partnership and work with Best Buddies to find a place for a Best Buddies Jobs participant in their own company," said Burns.

The President's Committee on the Employment of People with Disabilities has recognized Best Buddies Jobs as a national model of supported employment focusing on white collar and other non-traditional employment opportunities for people with intellectual disabilities.

Partnerships such as the one between Ross and Maxwell are sought by the program.

Briefs: MV Chamber to welcome Galvin

■ SUMMER PAINTING

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travels back to Andover on weekends to offer free estimates for exterior painting.

This summer, along with a team of trained college painters, he plans to provide people in Andover and surrounding towns with paint jobs while at the same time getting to know the many professionals who can give him advice on his future career.

"It's a lot of fun running my own business," he says in a release. "It's going to help me to work with people in the future, and it's a lot more interesting than life guarding."

Post office praise

The Andover Post Office played a leading role in the "Middlesex-Central Performance Cluster," which maintained national recognition for exemplary customer service for a ninth consecutive quarter, says a US Postal Service release.

Robert Kerrigan, officer-in-charge, said customer service "is a hallmark of the United States Postal Service and we here in Andover are extremely proud of the commitment to service our employees give to our customers."

The Middlesex-Central District repeated its nationwide honor when 96 percent of the independently polled customers gave excellent, very good and good responses in three key elements of the customer satisfaction measurement data survey: accuracy of delivery, consistency of delivery and professionalism in serving customers.

MV Chamber is filled with events

Educating the workforce

The Merrimack Valley Chamber of Commerce will present "Learning together: How do we achieve an educated workforce critical to the Merrimack Valley's employers?" on Friday, May 2 from 7:30 to 9 a.m. at Jackson's Riverside Restaurant, 478 Lowell St., Route 110, Methuen. A full breakfast is included. The cost is $18 for members and $25 for non-members.

Invited guests include the superintendents of school from Andover, Greater Lawrence Technical School, North Andover, Lawrence, Methuen, Whittier Regional Vocational School and Haverhill.

Special guest moderator is Richard Santagati, president of Merrimack College.

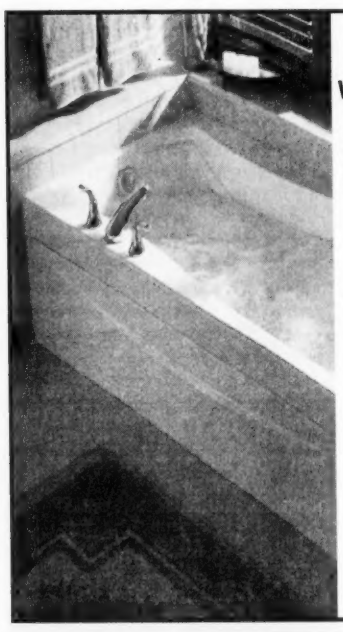
Marketing mixer

The Merrimack Valley Chamber, with the Methuen Memorial Music Hall, Charles F. Dewhirst Family Funeral Homes, Inc. and Shawarma Shack will host "Spring into Networking Marketing Mixer" on Wednesday, May 7 from 5 to 7 p.m. at Methuen Memorial Music Hall, 192 Broadway, Methuen. The cost is $10 for members and $20 for others.

Secretary of State on May 9

The MV Chamber will host Secretary of State WIlliam Galvin at the Wyndham Hotel, Old River Road, Andover, on May 9 from 7:30 to 9:15 a.m.

Call 978-686-0900 for more information on any of these events.



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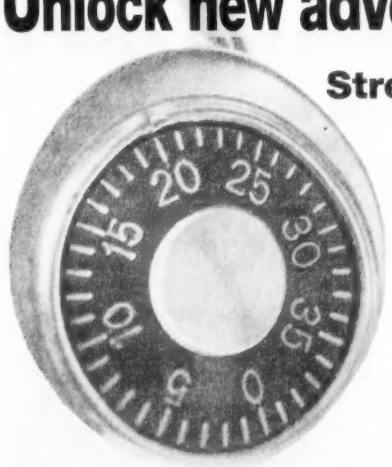

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Opinion

Contractual obligations

RESIDENTS AT TOWN MEETING – and by the low turnout, it seems, residents throughout town – appeared resigned to approving the program and position cuts necessary to allow for a much smaller-than-usual increase in the town's annual spending. The situation is expected to get worse during the next two or more years. It is possible Andover will need to call a Special Town Meeting this year to grapple with difficult budget decisions.

All of which can lead someone to want to run from Town Meeting and not think about the budget headaches for a while. Obviously, town officials cannot ignore the problem, and instead must focus on two significant issues, as outlined by the Finance Committee in its recent letter to the town.

The first of these is on upcoming negotiations with town workers' unions. The majority of the town's spending is determined in these contracts. Town officials need not curtail base salary, but rather focus on the lucrative agreements that award piles of sick, vacation and personal days – which contribute mightily to overtime costs – and on spiralling costs such as health care. Andover workers should be well taken care of, but there is a reasonable limit to what the town can afford.

Officials will also need to consider even more creative ideas for saving money. Prioritizing expenses townwide must be accomplished.

Is a new truck more important than another item – such as providing Andover High students with the opportunity to take courses throughout the day? These are the difficult questions left in the aftermath of Town Meeting.

Residents at Town Meeting this year.

Web question

Tobacco sales: a burning issue?

Last week's *Townsman* Web-site question was:

If you are attending Town Meeting which warrant article will move you to go?

Perhaps as a sign of how few people would attend, only 26 people voted.

- 3, or 12 percent, said "Article 4, the budget." The budget passed.
- 4, or 15 percent, said "Article 41 submitted by PAZ, which aims to stop the Avalon Bay project." Article 41 was passed. Avalon Bay was denied the sewer hook up.
- 4, or 15 percent, said "Article 20 to see if the town is going to pay $4,480,000 to improve our water." Article 20 was approved.
- 7, or 27 percent, said "Article 45 which would open up the restrictions around building accessory dwelling units." Article 45 failed.
- 8, or 31 percent, said "I go every year and never for just a single issue."

This week's Web question is: **Five Andover businesses sold tobacco products to minors in April according to Merrimack Valley's tobacco control agency. Does this affect how you will do business with these stores in the future?**

- Yes. Shame on them. I won't shop at a business that sells cigarettes to kids.
- Yes. I plan to take personal action against the businesses such as a boycott or public petition. In this day and age, they should know better.
- Not yet. Everyone makes mistakes and these sales were probably unintentional. If the store was found to be a repeat offender, that would change my opinion.
- No. It was one mistake and it would be too inconvenient to steer around that many stores.
- No. Kids will find a way to smoke if they want to.

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APRIL SHOWERS, MAY FLOWERS

PHOTO BY TIM JEAN

Jason Pelletier waters flowers at Strawberry Hill Farm on Lowell Street, which is set to open tomorrow, Friday, May 2.

LETTERS

More than a few saw Bush visit as 'not a good idea'

Editor, *Townsman:*

In last week's *Townsman* in an article about President Bush returning to Andover ("Bush I at Phillips Saturday"), Sharon Britton, director of communications at Phillips Academy, is paraphrased as saying "only a small number of the school's more than 200 faculty members see a reason to protest." No one surveyed the faculty about this subject. She has no basis for her statement. As an Andover faculty member I would guess that the opposite is true, that many teachers did have reasons why they thought bringing Bush on campus, particularly at this time, was not a good idea. While they may not have hoisted signs in protest, numerous faculty made the conscious choice not to attend the event at which Bush was a featured speaker.

Britton continues with this direct quotation: "Many people are happy that he comes back to the school. I don't know why they would be upset." Those of us who were upset by his visit think of him not only as a loyal Andover graduate but also as a political leader.

Bush appointed Clarence Thomas to the Supreme Court and while vice-president and president supported anti-democratic forces in Latin America. His role in the Iran-Contra scandal remains cloaked in classified documents. He clearly exploited the issue of race through the infamous Willie Horton advertisements designed by his campaign manager Lee Atwater.

Seth Bardo
Phillips Academy faculty
10 Stonehedge Road

LETTERS POLICY

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About 'Thursday File'

The Web site for Steve MacDowall's creation, The Thursday File, is www.hudsonvanloo.ca and it suggests books to read and offers quotations such as the ones on this page.

Playing with your food

Neil Fater

Telemarketers interrupting dinner, it turns out, is just the beginning. It will get worse.

Oh sure, it's been documented to the point of overkill that most people hate when someone tries to sell them something at night, especially when they're just sitting down to a late dinner.

Unfortunately, the rest of the people are corporate salesmen and women. Apparently, they don't realize that we all screen our calls now at certain times, so great is our disgust for sales pitches at home. We know there's a chance that any call is a telemarketer, rather than someone we consider more interesting than our lasagna, and so we let the machine pick up the calls.

So I suppose it shouldn't have surprised me when an e-mail arrived this week with the subject: "World Clamors For Newly Discovered Talking Food Products."

Now, I hadn't heard of a big outcry for corn muffins that can make small talk. But, then, I didn't see Chia Head catching on either, so clearly I don't have my thumb on the pulse of America. I opened the e-mail.

In case you were wondering, the company looking for media coverage of its "talking food" was not talking about pulling the string on an ear of corn and having it talk about Iowa. They weren't marketing an edible Teddy Ruxbin. Either of those would have been more interesting than my considerably less talented lasagna. (It just lays there like, well, a pile of wet noodles.)

Instead, they were announcing – "*Unbelievable but true!*" the e-mail exclaimed – the development of two tools, The Roller® and The Stamper®, companies can use to "*emboss their logo or advertising messages on food items.*"

Prototypes had been crafted to work on pizzas, cheeses, melons, breads, pies and potatoes, among other "food items."

Clearly, the four horsemen of the apocalypse are saddling up their beasts. And, to fortify themselves for the journey they'll eat pumpernickel sandwiches with the phrase "Go get 'em, tiger" pressed neatly onto each side.

Perhaps, with no room left for ads on the Green Monster at Fenway, food is the last great hope. Maybe someone can genetically alter mustard seeds, tomatoes and cucumbers so condiments at the ball park will always spell "Go Sox!"

Maybe Nike, having run out of new clothing and equipment it can put its logo on, can turn from putting swooshes on pig skin to swoosh-ing pig's feet. Or, for the more healthy crowd, perhaps it can have its trademarked swoosh printed on sports bars. "Just Eat It." Or it can embed a message in a potato and bring 5'6' dunking basketball star Spud Webb out of retirement for commercials.

As for me, I'll stick to a baker writing "Happy Birthday" on a cake. I don't need my next pizza to literally be an edible ad for Tums.

Neil Fater is editor of the Andover Townsman. He can be reached by e-mail at nfater@andovertownsman.com, or by embossing one's message onto a pepperoni pizza and delivering it to the Townsman, say, around 8 p.m. next Tuesday night when he's likely to be hungry.

Neighbor: High school should clean up its outdoor act

Editor, *Townsman:*

My wife and I moved to Andover because of its reputation for civic pride, fiscal responsibility and excellent educational system. We even choose a location near Andover High School in which to live. We frequently walk our dog around the school and have just had our first child.

The reason I am writing this letter is to point out the appalling amount of trash that is around the high school and all the roads that lead to it.

The reason I paid a premium for a home in Andover is to bring my children up in a well educated community that takes pride in its surroundings. Andover spent an enormous amount of money on the high school renovation and expansion project and it's a shame that the school administration can't take care of it or motivate the students to take pride in their school. They are obviously way over their heads and have no concept of effective management.

It's time for a change.

When other schools come to Andover they should see a shining example of a top-notch public school, not a landfill.

Adam Pratt
Cuba Street

THE THURSDAY FILE

I think of a hero as someone who understands the degree of responsibility that comes with his freedom.

BOB DYLAN

Everything you need, you already have. You are complete right now, you are a whole, total person, not an apprentice person on the way to someplace else. Your completeness must be understood by you and experienced in your thoughts as your own personal reality.

WAYNE DYER

There's a way to do it better... find it.

THOMAS EDISON

You may not be able to control the situation, but you can always control your reaction.

AUSTIN MCGONIGLE

The simple joy of taking an idea into one's own hands and giving it proper form – that's exciting.

GEORGE NELSON

A horse is dangerous at both ends and uncomfortable in the middle.

IAN FLEMING

Treat the Earth well. It was not given to you by your parents. It was lent to you by your children.

KENYAN PROVERB

When a man begins to understand himself, he begins to live. When he begins to live, he begins to understand his fellow men.

NORVIN MCGRANAHAN

The Eleanor Roosevelt quotation:

Absence makes the heart grow fonder.

TOWN TALK

FOXES BY THE NUMBERS:

40 years as town residents
9 children raised here, including eight boys, one girl; all nine have names starting with the letter J
6 number of married kids
3 number engaged
13 grandchildren (so far)
16 age of bride when she and 20-year-old groom eloped in 1953 (photo below)

INFORMATION COURTESY OF JUDE BLANCHARD

FOXES

Continued from page 1

political circles as he unsuccessfully ran for a state representative seat against Barry Finegold in the 1990s.

Blanchard said a laptop computer featuring some 200 family photos was a busy table at the party as guests enjoyed the images.

The couple renewed their vows at St. Agnes Church in Middleton before the party where all nine kids - Julia Ann, James, John, Joseph, Jay Thomas, Jerome, Jeffrey, Justin and Jason - were on hand along with members of Ruth Ann's family, including her mother, Edith Veihdeffer of Ocala, Fla. All the grandchildren attended and include Shannon, John, Rachel, Kelly and Michael Fox, all of Andover.

– Judy Wakefield

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POLICE LOG

ARRESTS

Wednesday, April 23 – At 10:16 p.m., Joanne Johnston, 45, of 907 Hildreth St., Dracut, was arrested on Lowell Street and charged with driving under the influence of alcohol, operating to endanger and ignoring marked lanes. She was also issued a ticket for speeding.

Thursday, April 24 – At 12:21 a.m., a 16-year-old boy from Andover was arrested on Bartlett St., and charged with disorderly conduct.

At 12:52 a.m., police received a 911 call from a woman who said her husband was hitting people and breaking things. The caller mentioned a broken car window before the phone was disconnected. The operator called back several times to get a recorded message, but once heard a female screaming. At 1:14 a.m., Ralph Pratt, 32, of 180 North Main St., was arrested on North Main St. and charged with assault and battery on a household member and malicious destruction of property over $250. Pratt was also wanted on warrant charges for speeding, driving with a suspended license and driving without a license in his possession. An ambulance was called for a minor hand injury.

At 12:07 p.m., James Mannion, 24, of 26 Standish Road, Haverhill, was arrested on Ballardvale Street, and charged with breaking and entering at night, possession of a burglarious instrument, attempt to commit a crime and conspiracy to commit a crime.

At 6:56 p.m., Anthoney Puzzo, 27, of 15 Westchester St., Lawrence, was arrested on River Road and charged with failure to wear a seat belt, driving with a suspended license, attaching wrong plates to a vehicle, driving an uninsured vehicle, driving a child age 6 to 12 without a seat belt and driving an unregistered vehicle.

Friday, April 25 – At 10:26 a.m., David Tyrie, 35, of 16 Westminster Ave., Haverhill, was arrested and charged with committing larceny of more than $250 and conspiracy to commit a crime.

At 2:40 p.m. a 16-year-old boy from Andover was arrested and charged on a warrant for disorderly conduct.

At 3:08 p.m., Saysamone Phonachanh, 23, of 18 Alexander Circle, was arrested on Lowell Street and charged on a warrant for assault and battery.

Sunday, April 27 – At 4:51 p.m., David Nardella, 29, of 144 Exchange Ave., Medford, was arrested and charged with possession of a hypodermic needle and possession of a class A substance.

At 5:19 p.m., Lorraine Cassesso, 45, of 119 Pennsylvania Ave., Somerville, was arrested and charged with possession of a hypodermic needle and possession of a class A substance.

Heroin on the highway

Police: Couple shot up while driving

A man and woman were arrested Sunday afternoon after drug detectives said they pulled alongside their car on Interstate 93, and spotted them shooting heroin – while driving at highway speed.

Lorraine Cassesso, 45, Somerville, and David Nardella, 29, of Medford, were charged with possession of heroin, as well as possession of a hypodermic needle and syringe.

Lt. James D. Hashem said detectives were parked in an unmarked car near the telephones at the Mobil Station on River Road and overheard Cassesso arranging a drug deal. When she got back into her car and drove off, the detectives followed the car north on Interstate 93 into Salem, N.H., where they watched as the drug transaction was completed, Hashem said.

The detectives continued to follow the car as it headed south back into Massachusetts. When it reached Andover, police pulled alongside the car, where they saw driver and passenger injecting themselves with heroin as they drove, Hashem said.

Hashem said the detectives called for a marked cruiser to pull over the car and arrested the couple at 4:06 p.m.

– Jim Patten

BREAKS

Thursday, April 24 – At 1:25 p.m., a Memorial Circle resident reported her basement broken into.

Friday, April 25 – At 10:59 a.m., a Wildwood Road resident reported his house broken into during the previous few hours.

THEFTS

Thursday, April 24 – At 2:57 p.m., a larceny was reported at Brickstone Square.

AUTO INCIDENTS

Wednesday, April 23 – At 7:16 p.m., a resident reported compact discs were stolen from her car on High Plain Road. Police have four suspects.

Thursday, April 24 – At 7:25 p.m. a woman reported her car broken into on Lowell Street and her purse stolen.

At 7:35 p.m., a car was reported broken into on North Main Street.

Saturday, April 26 – At 1:13 p.m., a Haggetts Pond Road resident reported the theft of a hubcap.

INCIDENTS

Wednesday, April 23 – At 8:58 a.m., a resident reported that a jogger on Brookside Drive appeared to be impersonating a police officer.

At 4:28 p.m. an officer brought a 13-year-old Lawrence girl to the station after she was caught shoplifting at a Main Street business. The girl was later released to her mother.

Monday, April 28 – At 6:59 a.m., an Elm Street resident reported having a wild cat in her basement. An officer could not locate the animal, but left a note for the animal-control officer.

Tuesday, April 29 – At 10:39 p.m., a caller from North Main Street reported that an entire family was in the street having an argument. There were men, women and children involved. There was a fight in progress.

ACCIDENTS

Friday, April 25 – At 5:34 p.m., a woman hit her head on the windshield during a car accident on Salem Street.

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Townspeople

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Getting ready for Temple Emanuel's second annual Mitzvah Day are Emma Kanell (top photo), Sara Kanell (above), and Andrew Kanell and Eric Ginsberg (at right). They are ready to plant in the mitzvah garden outside the temple this Sunday.

Good deeds abound

Temple Emanuel plans its second annual 'Mitzvah Day'

By Ben Hellman

TEMPLE EMANUEL FAMILIES are taking this Sunday to do good deeds. The second annual Mitzvah Day this Sunday will have temple members walking for hunger, collecting books and goods for the needy and doing good work around Andover and Lawrence.

"You're helping someone and you are doing something for yourself as well. It's a good thing," says Judith Berger, of Hemlock Road.

She will pitch in with other members who are clearing trails around the Horn Bridge on Central Street, and collecting books, toys, stuffed animals and household goods for the Bruce School in Lawrence and families in need.

Judaism is an action-oriented faith, where what a person does is more important than what they say or think, says Rabbi Robert Goldstein. Doing good deeds is something Jews try to weave into their everyday lives, but this Sunday will be a day to focus on good deeds as families and as a larger temple community, he says.

Goldstein explains that *mitzvah* literally means "commandment" as in the Ten Commandments from the Bible. He says there are actually 613 commandments in the Jewish faith, but some can no longer be practiced.

He says one mitzvah was to put a parapet, or fence, on a person's house. The commandment is important in the Middle East, where people sleep and live on their roofs in the summer, but he says the commandment may have found its way into common law. "You have to put a fence around your swimming pool," he says.

Another mitzvah relevant today, but in a different way: "You can't put a stumbling block before the blind," he says. Goldstein says this mitzvah is at the heart of handicapped accessibility laws.

Goldstein says the day will teach the children of the congregation by example. He is taking part in the Walk For Hunger in Boston with his daughter.

Hats off: ZOOM-ing with Pike School

Pike School student Grace Hoyt was among those who made hats that were donated to Lazarus House in Lawrence.

Pike School on Sunset Rock Road will make some noise tomorrow, Friday, May 2, by receiving recognition on the PBS television show, *ZOOM*.

The private school's "Hats from the Heart" project will be featured in a short PBS promotion piece being shown on *ZOOM* that highlights kids doing good deeds.

Pike's public relations director Kitty Burns said the school's service club has been doing the hat project for many years.

This past winter, club members who are in grades 3, 4 and 5, and their parents, pieced and sewed more than 100 winter hats made from Polartec material. The hats were donated to Lazarus House in Lawrence.

"There was a lot of material and parents brought their sewing machines to help put the hats together," said Marilyn Helmers of Andover, whose daughter, Julie Helmers, 11, wrote to *ZOOM* about the school's project.

"It was cool to see how many people showed up to help us. But what was even better was to see the faces of the people when we delivered the hats," Julie said of the project.

ZOOM spokesman Stefanie Kiperniak said kids are encouraged to submit stories about their volunteer work in communities around the state. The show frequently includes short segments on these good deeds, she said.

ZOOM airs weekdays on WGBH-TV/Channel 2 at 5 p.m. and Saturdays on WGBX-TV/Channel 44 at 8:30 a.m.

– Judy Wakefield

Two historical programs on tap next week

Phillips Academy archivist and art instructor Ruth Quattlebaum will present the slide-lecture "High on the Hill," the fourth in Andover Historical Society's Sunday Sojourns Through Andover History series, this Sunday, May 4 at 2 p.m.

Quattlebaum will discuss the establishment of the schools that gave Andover an international reputation as a citadel of learning.

"The Hill" was home to four seminal educational institutions. What was it about the Town of Andover, its people and place, that prompted and promoted the founding, growth, and maturation of Phillips Academy, Abbot Female Seminary (later Abbot Academy), Andover Theological Seminary, and the short-lived, experimental Teacher Seminary? Quattlebaum will discuss the answers in her program at the Andover Historical Society, 97 Main St. Admission is $5 for members; $10 for non-members.

Next Thursday, May 8 at 7:30 p.m., join storytellers/actors Susan Lenoe and Lani Peterson at the Historical Society for "Turning the World Upside Down," an interactive performance of Sarah and Angelina Grimke, the famous sisters from a South Carolina plantation who campaigned against slavery and for the rights of women. Admission is $5 for members; $10 for non-members.

Also opening May 8 is a new traveling exhibit, "Slavery, Anti-Slavery & The Underground Railroad in Andover," created by Juliet Mofford, director of education and research.

Sarah and Angelina Grimke were the first female abolitionist agents in America, and the only white Southern females to publicly embrace abolitionism. With her husband, Theodore Weld, who attended Phillips Academy, Angelina wrote the landmark book *American Slavery As It Is: Testimony of a Thousand Witnesses*.

Senior Center "Write Stuff" Creative Writers entertained the members of the Shawsheen Village Woman's Club at its April meeting. Readers from left were Edith Sanborn, Shirley Byron and Eunice Campbell.

Shawsheen Village Woman's Club members are inspired by the written word

The Shawsheen Village Woman's Club's April activities included a meeting featuring a potluck luncheon and the Senior Center's creative writing group.

Members of the group "The Write Stuff" reading examples of their works were: Shirley Byron "Embarrassments," Eunice Campbell, "You Never Get A Second Chance to Make A First Impression," Alma Clooney, "Arrival of My First Grandchild," Mary Crawford, "Thoughts At Large," Rita Fragala, Where there Is Fear, There is No Creativity," Alfred Koch, "Another War Story," Barbara McGovern, "Memories," Maureen [illegible], "Words," Edith Sanborn, "A Romantic Evening," Robert Sanborn, "[illegible] High-bush Blueberries," and Hannah Heifetz, "The Value of Serendipity." Edith Sanborn introduced the readers and Hannah Heifetz closed the program.

The club members had enjoyed last year's appearance of "Write Stuff" members so much, they invited them back for this equally inspiring encore performance, organizers said.

The annual Scholarship Bridge and Luncheon held at the United Methodist Church of North Andover on April 11 added to the scholarship fund. Winners of scholarships will be selected this spring from applicants names submitted by Andover High School and the Greater Lawrence Technical School.

The next meeting of the Shawsheen Village Woman's Club will be held at the Hillview Country Club in North Reading at noon Monday, May 5. This will be the annual meeting with a buffet luncheon. Hostesses will be Mary Lee and Mary Moorehead.

Annual reports will be presented and nominations for next year's executive committee will be made.

FIRST BIRTHDAYS

Valerie Jeanne Teichert

Allison Jane Teichert

Valerie Jeanne Teichert and Allison Jane Teichert turned 1 on April 12. Their parents are Ted and Jeanne Teichert of Dufton Road. Grandparents are Fred and Jane Teichert of North Andover, and John and Sherry Jardin of Mansfield. Val and Ally enjoy playing together and with their big sisters, Julianne, 3½ and Stephanie, 15. They both recently learned to walk and love giving hugs and kisses.

John Joseph Reilly

He's no fool! John Joseph Reilly celebrated his first birthday April 2. His parents are Peter and Jennifer Reilly of Andover. Grandparents are Robert and Anna Ott of Hampstead, N.H., and June Reilly of Bedford, N.H. Surrounded by family and friends, John enjoyed eating cake and playing with balloons. His favorite activities include scooting around after his cats and playing with Legos.

Nicholas Ryan Whitman

Nicholas Ryan Whitman was born April 6, 2002. Parents are Jim and Christine (Boness) Whitman of Newton. Grandparents are Nuala and John Boness of Andover. Nicholas has a sister, Jessica.

Brian Gabriel Wickey

Brian Gabriel Wickey turned 1 April 29. He is the son of Daniel and Lisa Wickey of Haggetts Pond Road. Grandparents are Lawrence and Jacqueline Gingras of Barre, Vt. and Helen Wickey of Manchester, N.H. Brian loves spending his days chasing his older brother, Nathan, and his dog, Elwood, from his walker.

Ryan Edward Haley

Ryan Edward Haley turned 1 on April 16. His parents are William and Stacy Haley of Methuen. Grandparents are David and Donna Haley of Lowell Street, and Edward and Gail Talbot of Pelham, N.H. Ryan is a happy, contented child. He becomes mesmerized watching his sister, Caitlyn, 3, in action.

Evan Arpin

Meghan Arpin

Meghan and Evan Arpin celebrated their first birthday April 22. Their parents are Terri Anne McGettrick-Arpin and Michael Arpin of Cheever Circle. Meghan loves to read her "Baby Boo Books" and walk down the street with her new shoes. Evan tries to keep up with his sister with his Fisher Price walker. He loves climbing the stairs and is a true comedian. Both babies love playing with their cousins. Grandparents are Mary McGettrick of Andover, Audrey Arpin of Foster, R.I., and John and Carleen McGettrick of Bedford, Mass.

Julia Hope Bardetti

Julia Hope Bardetti celebrated her first birthday April 5. She is the daughter of Joe and Liz Bardetti of Chicago. Grandparents are Joseph and Marilyn Bardetti of Andover and Peg and Merv Baker of East Aurora, N.Y. Julia and her sister Sophia, 3, like to visit their family in Andover, especially their cousins.

Jack Elliott Beherrell

Jack Elliott Beherrell turned 1 on April 19. He is the son of Herb and Gretchen Beherrell of South Main Street. Grandparents are Deborah Jenks and Herb and Lillian Beherrell, all of North Reading. Great-grandmother is Barbara Elliott. Jack enjoys teasing his cats Desmond and Doolie and playing with his big sister, Grayson, 4 and his cousins.

Wilson Giles Stecher

Wilson Giles Stecher of Andover, turned 1 on April 17. His mom and dad, Catherine Giles Stecher and Scott Stecher, along with his 3-year-old sister, Sosha, have enjoyed watching him play and grow over the past 12 months. He loves giving kisses, being chased and laughing at sister Sosha. He has a wonderful smile and strong will.

Anna Lilly Riley

Anna Lilly Riley celebrated her first birthday April 30. Her parents are Michael and Danielle Riley of Old County Road. Her grandparents are Richard Riley of Peterborough, N.H., Maureen Vinal, and Gerald and Denise Vinal, all of Wilmington. Anna loves to dance and play with her brother Ben, 4, and her cousins.

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FIRST BIRTHDAYS

Ely Remes

Ely Remes turned 1 on April 13. He celebrated his birthday with his parents Rick and Lauren Remes of Jenkins Road, his grandparents Nort and Joan Remes of Scottsdale, Ariz. and Paul and Linda Petzold of Marathon, Fla., his aunts and his great-great-aunt Ninny. Ely's hobbies include eating dirt (photo), chasing cats, and going on long bike rides with Dad.

Kyle Joseph Duffy

Kyle Joseph Duffy celebrated his first birthday April 10 by swinging his new golf club. His parents are Gordon (Andover High 1968) and Mara Duffy of Atkinson, N.H. Grandparents are Joseph Duffy of Andover and the late Joan Duffy, and Merrill and Geraldine Catlin of Shelton, Conn. Kyle smiles only 80 percent of the time, but smiles best when his mother or his sister, Kerry are around.

Tyler Scott Bates

Tyler Scott Bates celebrated his first birthday April 2. He is the son of Scott and Jane Bates of Danville, N.H. Grandparents are Vincent and Joanne Bates of Andover, and Donald and Donna Rodgers of North Reading. His favorite activities are eating, playing with his aunts and uncles, and getting into mischief around the house.

Grace Anna Keefe

Grace Anna Keefe celebrated her first birthday April 25. She is the daughter of Paul and Pamela Keefe of High Plain Road. Grandparents are Elizabeth Keefe of Andover and David and Charlotte Roberts of Lynchburg, Va. Grace loves playing with her sisters, Meghan, 16, and Lauren, 14; snuggling with her Prairie Pals; and teasing her pet dogs.

Nolan Vincent Brezinski

Nolan Vincent Brezinski celebrated his first birthday April 6. He is the son of Arryn and Nicole Brezinski of Wedgewood Drive. Grandparents are Vincent and Maureen Olivero of Melrose, Joseph Brezinski of Taunton and Maryanne Santos of Plymouth. Nolan always has a smile on his face and enjoys reading books. He especially loves chasing and playing with his big brother. Carter, 2½ and his cousins.

James Donal Kealy Coffey

James Donal Kealy Coffey celebrated his first birthday April 11. He is the son of James and Leah Coffey of Otterberg, Germany. Grandparents are Donald and Francene Donahue of Bedford, N.H., and James and Mary Coffey of Columbia, S.C. James loves playing with his sister, Margaret (Maggie), 2, and their Andover cousins.

FOR SENIORS

By Pat Becker
Andover Senior Center

Here are some of the activities coming up at the Andover Senior Center.

Golf Lessons: It's time to finally get out those clubs and brush up on your strokes for the coming season. Golf lessons start this week. Join us for a series of four golf lessons Thursday mornings at 9 a.m. May 1, 8, 15 and 22. Cost is $60, which includes all equipment and instructor's fees. Classes are held at the Garrison Golf Center in Haverhill. Contact Pat at the senior center.

Brain Gym Program: Tomorrow, May 2 at 7 p.m. we will offer a very special and informative program: "Pumping Neurons At The Brain Gym." The old saying, "Use it or lose it," applies to the brain as well as the body. This presentation explains about a program that provides practical exercises to develop mental strength, flexibility and endurance. It was sold out when we presented it two years ago. Join us for dinner at 6 p.m. Tickets are available at the center on an advance purchase basis only – $8 for dinner and presentation; $5 for the presentation only.

Women's Luncheon-/Speaker: All interested senior women are invited to a luncheon and speaker program at Old Town Hall on Wednesday, May 14 at noon. Guest speaker will be Judy Norsigian, who will talk about "Hot Topics In Women's Health." Norsigian is co-author of *Our Bodies, Ourselves For the New Century*; co-founder of the Boston Women's Health Book Collective, and has made numerous media appearances on *Oprah, Donahue,* and *NBC Nightly News*. Tickets ($10) are on sale at the center; advance reservations are a must. No tickets will be sold at the door.

Marblehead Mansions: Miriam Butts, Museum of Fine Arts lecturer, will present a two-part program, "New England Coastal Mansions" on Monday, May 5 and 12. Total cost is $35, which includes a lecture, trip to Marblehead, and bus transportation from the center. Stop by the center to register or pick up further information.

Elder Law Presentation: Mark your calendars and make a reservation to join us Friday, May 9 at 9:30 a.m. when Karol Bisbee from the Massachusetts Bar Association will be here for a special presentation on elder law issues, specifically, the new health-care privacy law. Find out how to protect your private medical health history. A continental breakfast will be served; advance reservations appreciated. Call 978-623-8321

A Day In Newburyport: On Wednesday, May 21 we will first visit the Herb Farm in Salisbury for a group tour where you'll be amazed at the more than 400 varieties of herbs, spices, and heirloom tomatoes. After the tour, we're off to the historic town of Newburyport where you can enjoy visiting the shops, eateries, harbor area, etc. Cost is $20; reservations may be made by dropping into the center.

Bird Watching: Al Retelle will lead a series of bird walks Monday, May 5, 12, and 19. If you would like to participate, the walks kick off from the senior center at 7:30 a.m. For further information, contact Retelle at 978-475-4412.

Battleship Cove: The center's men's group is sponsoring a trip to Battleship Cove on Friday, May 16. Cost is $35, which includes tours, a buffet lunch aboard ship and bus transportation. Stop by the center to make a reservation if you would like to travel with us. All seniors welcome.

"Spirituality and Aging: A Time To Live": This six-week class will be offered from 12:45 to 1:45 p.m. Wednesdays from May 21 to June 25. The course will look at several tasks that can help us move positively through elderhood. The goal is to find the present and future filled with hope and satisfaction. Pre-registration appreciated; cost is $12.

Parkinson's Support Group: The Parkinson's support group will hold its next meeting at the center Thursday, May 8 at 1:30 p.m. Legal issues will be the topic of this month's discussion. Call Kristine Arakelian for further information.

Fix-it Shop: The fix-it shop will be open again Tuesday, May 6 from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. Our volunteers are happy to take a look at any small appliance or household item in need of repair

AARP: The next AARP meeting will take place at the center Tuesday, May 13 at 1:30 p.m. Guest speaker will be Barbara Mahoney, author of *Life In The Last Lane*. Anyone who is interested is welcome to attend.

Senior Center Week: The week of May 12 is National Senior Center Week. We invite you to join us each morning at 9:30 for a complimentary coffee hour or stop by the center for a listing of the week's activities.

BIRTHS

BRODERICK – A daughter, Olivia Jan Broderick, born to Kristine (Stark) and Sean Broderick of Andover on March 17 at Tufts-New England Medical Center. Grandparents are Jack and Barbara Stark of Marshfield, and Paul and Diane Boghosian of Georgetown.

MORTON – A daughter, Devon Katherine Morton, born to Kerry (Pulzer) and David L. Morton Jr. of Wellesley on April 6 at Newton-Wellesley Hospital. Grandparents are David and Judy Morton of Andover and Carol Hogan and Phil Thorpe of Stonington, Conn. Devon joins Caitlin, 9, Erin, 7, Connor, 6, Patrick, 4, Casey, 3, Owen, 1½.

FIRST BIRTHDAYS

2003 KEY DATES

CLIP & SAVE

Issue Date	Photo Deadline
May 29	May 23
June 26	June 20
July 31	July 25
Aug. 28	Aug. 22
Sept. 25	Sept. 19
Oct. 30	Oct. 24
Nov. 27	Nov. 21
Dec. 25	Dec. 19

BABIES CELEBRATING THEIR FIRST BIRTHDAYS, affiliated with Andover, may have their pictures in the *Townsman* free. They will normally appear in the issue dated *the last Thursday of the month*, in the month of baby's first birthday

All babies having a May 2003 first birthday will be published in the May 29 issue.

All photos must be received by 5 p.m. Friday, May 23.

Photos received after the deadline will not be published. Similarly, first birthday photos older than the current month (e.g., April or earlier) also will not be published.

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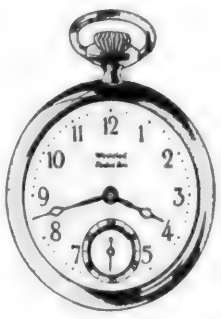

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SOCIAL NOTEBOOK

Phillips Academy's Community Service Office will present **Mark D. Gearan**, president of Hobart and William Smith Colleges, who will speak at 6:45 tonight, Thursday, May 1, in Kemper Auditorium, Chapel Avenue, on the Phillips Academy campus.

Organizers said Gearan's life exemplifies civic engagement, global awareness, a focus on the 21st century and a commitment to students.

Gearan was director of the Peace Corps in Washington, D.C., from 1995-99. Recently, he was confirmed by the US Senate to serve on the board of directors of the Corporation for National and Community Service, which engages Americans of all backgrounds in community-based service through such programs as Americorps and Service Corps.

Previously, Gearan served at the White House as assistant to President Clinton and director of communications, as well as deputy chief of staff. During the 1992 presidential campaign, he was Al Gore's campaign manager, and then deputy director of President-elect Clinton's transition team.

The event is free and open to the public.

PHOTO BY FRANCES Y. J. WHEELER

Andover Garden Club vice president and program chairwoman Jackie Katz (left) and president Claire Sylek will finish their terms at the annual meeting May 6. As program chairwoman, Katz organized all of the programs for the 2001-03 club years.

The Andover Garden Club announced today that its annual meeting will be held May 6 at the Unitarian Universalist Congregation, 6 Locke St. Following a business meeting, members will present a nostalgic look back at the last 75 years of the Andover Garden Club.

The annual meeting, which will begin at 11:30 a.m., is open only to members. The luncheon and program, beginning at approximately noon, are open to preregistered members and their guests.

The month ahead will be a busy one for the garden club as the celebration of its 75th anniversary continues with a standard flower show. This event, which will include a horticultural division open to the public, will run May 16 and 17 at the Andover Historical Society's Amos Blanchard House.

The club will end the month with a May 31 plant sale in front of the Old Town Hall on Main Street in Andover. Details about both events will be announced in the near future.

Andover High School Student Government will host a blood drive next Thursday, May 8, in the field house from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. All are welcome. To sign up, or for more information, contact Kim Serapiglia at 978-623-8600.

The American Red Cross of the Merrimack Valley will honor three Merrimack Valley citizens tonight, Thursday, May 1, at its Annual Donna and Elkin McCallum Humanitarian Award ceremony. As the local chapter of one of the largest volunteer organizations in the world, the American Red Cross of the Merrimack Valley provides humanitarian services throughout a 25-town area. In an effort to promote the ideals of volunteerism and community service, the chapter honors those individuals who have a history and passion for easing human suffering and contributing towards significant improvement in the quality of life as exhibited by their character, leadership, inspiration, longevity of service and community impact.

The following individuals will be honored tonight for their humanitarian work in the community: **Rabbi Robert Goldstein** of Andover, **Edward LeLacheur** of Lowell, and **Gerry Molina** of Haverhill.

Rabbi Goldstein is recognized as one of the leading religious leaders in the Merrimack Valley. He has served **Temple Emanuel of Andover** for the last 13 years. Upon coming to Andover in 1990 he built upon the efforts of his predecessor and helped the congregation to become a vibrant, multi-generation community, organizers said. Rabbi Goldstein shows his dedication to the community by being active on a variety of boards.

Former state Rep. LeLacheur is well known throughout the Merrimack Valley community for his political career, as well as his generosity and compassion, organizers said. Winning a seat in the Great and General Court of Massachusetts in 1975, he served his constituents there for 12 terms, including part of west Andover for a brief period between redistricting and his retirement. A native of Lowell, he has been dedicated to maintaining the well being of many of the city's citizens, organizers said.

"His generosity continues with LeLacheur Foundation. His legacy lives on as the Lowell Spinners baseball team plays in LeLacheur Park," they said.

Molina has demonstrated his commitment to the Merrimack Valley community through his work for more than 30 years at *The Eagle-Tribune*, as well as through his humanitarian work in the community.

Molina serves as the editor for the *Townsman's* sister paper, the *Haverhill Gazette*. Even with his schedule, he finds the time to volunteer for a number of Merrimack Valley organizations. Molina was active in Boy Scouting for many years and is presently an assistant scoutmaster in Merrimac. He was awarded the Community leadership award from the Haverhill Salvation Army in 2000 and was given the Chairman's Award in 2002 from the Merrimack Valley United Way.

The event will take place at the Doubletree in Lowell. The cocktail reception and silent auction will begin at 6 p.m., followed by the award ceremony at 7:30 p.m.

For ticket information, call 978-372-6871.

◀ Children of Cub Scout Pack 79 collected food and clothing in a community service drive for the Daybreak Shelter in Lawrence. From left are: Conor O'Reilly, Molly Awiszus, Brett Krekorian, Tim Awiszus and Brendan O'Connell.

Lowell General Hospital's fourth annual TeamWalk for CancerCare takes place Sunday, May 18 starting and ending at the **Tsongas Arena** in Lowell. There is a choice of a 3-mile or 6.2-mile walk.

Proceeds go to enhance services for patients at the Cancer Center at Lowell General. Register to walk or volunteer at www.lowellgeneral.org; or call the TeamWalk hotline at 978-937-6434.

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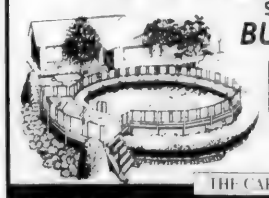

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OBITUARIES

Sister Aloyse St. James, SND

Taught first grade at St. Augustine School

Sister Aloyse St. James, SND, 96, a former teacher at St. Augustine School in Andover, died Easter Sunday, April 20 in Ipswich.

Sister Aloyse St. James, SND

Born Aloyse Mary Otis on March 13, 1907, she entered the Sisters of Notre Dame on Aug. 2, 1925.

A native of Dorchester Lower Mills, she was a graduate of Emmanuel College.

She taught first grade for 11 years, from 1933 to 1944, at St. Augustine School.

A Mass of Resurrection was celebrated Wednesday, April 23 at the Sisters of Notre Dame Novitiate in Ipswich.

Rev. Valerian M. Czywil

Services are today

The Rev. Valerian M. Czywil, 89, of Lawrence, died Sunday, April 27 at Wingate Nursing Home in Andover.

He was ordained to the priesthood of St. Hyacinth's Seminary Chapel Granby in 1937. He became an assistant at St. Stanislaus Church in Rockford, Ill., in 1939, and at St. Stanislaus Church in Trenton, N.J., in 1959. He became a pastor of St. Louis Church in Portland, Maine, in 1976, and an assistant at Holy Rosary Church in Taunton in 1982.

Born in Lawrence, he graduated from Lawrence High School in 1930 and entered the Order of Fransiscan Friars Minor Conventual in 1930. He studied philosophy and theology at St. Hyacinth's Seminary in Granby.

Members of his family include the Franciscan Friars of St. Anthony in Padua Province, Italy; a niece, Valerie Wood of Reading; and two nephews, Thomas Sowinski of Stratham, N.H., and James Sowinski of Haverhill.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Franciscan Education Fund, 12300 Folly Quarter Road, Ellicot City, MD 21042.

Calling hours were scheduled for Wednesday, April 30 from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. and today, Thursday, May 1 from 8 to 10 a.m. at Holy Trinity Church, Lawrence.

Funeral services will be today, Thursday, May 1 at 10 a.m. at the church.

Burial will be in Immaculate Conception Cemetery, Lawrence.

Pearl M. Cignoni

Formerly a longtime Andover resident

Pearl M. (Bellerive) Cignoni, 90, of Plaistow, N.H. and a former longtime Andover resident, died Friday, April 25 at home following a long illness.

Born in Springfield, she graduated from Springfield High School and attended hairdressing school.

She worked briefly as a hairdresser.

While living in Andover, Mrs. Cignoni was a member of the Andover Senior Citizens Center.

She was the widow of Albert D. Cignoni.

Members of her family include her daughter, Shirley Cignoni and her husband David Flint of Plaistow, with whom she lived; a son, Richard Cignoni and his wife Linda of Salem, N.H.; six grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

She was also the mother of the late Kenneth A. Cignoni.

Memorial contributions may be made to Merrimack Valley Hospice, 360 Merrimack St., Lawrence, Mass.

Private family services will be held at Brookside Chapel & Funeral Home, 116 Main St., Plaistow.

Burial is in Spring Grove Cemetery, Andover.

Robert K. Look

1975 graduate of Andover High School

Robert K. Look, 46, an Andover native, died Sunday, April 20 at UMass Medical Center in Worcester, following a long battle with emphysema.

He was a 1975 graduate of Andover High School and was in the automotive industry for 23 years. He most recently worked for the Foster-Healey Realty Corp. in Fitchburg. He was a member of the Massachusetts Board of Realtors.

Members of his family include his wife, Diana R. (St. Pierre) Look; a son, Matthew R. Look of Lawrence; two sisters, Linda J. Look of Haverhill and Deborah L. Hyde of Andover; two stepdaughters; a step-grandson; two nieces and a nephew.

Burial took place at West Parish Cemetery in Andover followed by a memorial service at the Church of the Living God in Fitchburg.

Harry Edward Newton

Service tomorrow

Harry Edward Newton, 77, of Beech Grove, Ind., died Saturday, April 26.

He retired from Bryant Manufacturing in Indianapolis, Ind., in 1985 as a materials manager after 35 years of service.

Mr. Newton was a member of the Masonic Lodge, Scottish Rite, Murat Shrine, American Legion and Disabled American Veterans. He was also a Navy veteran.

Members of his family include his wife, Julia Ann MacDonald Newton; a son, Wayne Thomas Newton; daughter-in-law, JoAnn Latvaitis; a brother, Robert Newton; and two sisters, Ethelyne Farquharson and Barbara Shrine.

A memorial service will be held tomorrow, Friday, May 2 at 10 a.m. in the chapel of West Parish Garden Cemetery in Andover.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Franklin Masonic Home, 690 S. State St., Franklin, IN 46143.

Arrangements are by Little & Sons Funeral Home in Beech Grove and Burke Funeral Home, 390 N. Main St., Andover.

David L. Nicoll

Former police chief

David L. Nicoll, 88, of Tarpon Springs, Fla. and formerly of Andover, died Wednesday, April 16 at home.

He was chief of police in Andover for 26 years and, prior to that, was an Andover police officer.

Born in Andover, he graduated from the FBI Academy in 1958.

Mr. Nicoll served in the Army during World War II as a staff sergeant and later as a 2nd lieutenant.

He was a member of the Massachusetts Chief of Police Association and the New England Chief of Police Association.

Members of his family include his wife, Linda H. Nicoll; stepdaughters, Elizabeth Sulikowski of Port Jefferson, N.Y., Laurie Damron of St. John, US Virgin Islands; stepson, Brian Burwell of Hampstead, N.H.; and four grandchildren.

A memorial service will be held tomorrow, Friday, May 2 at 10 a.m. at Free Christian Church, 31 Elm St., Andover.

Burial will be in Spring Grove Cemetery, Andover.

Arrangements are by Burke Funeral Home, 390 N. Main St., Andover.

Jones memorial service is May 15

A memorial service for Irene Jones will take place at South Church, 41 Central St., Andover on Thursday, May 15 at 3 p.m.

Friends and acquaintances are invited.

OBITUARIES

The *Townsman* will publish obituaries of Andover residents without charge.

The paper also will publish without charge a short announcement of those people who died and did not live here, but are related to someone who lives in Andover. This listing will include the name of the deceased, where he or she lived, when he or she died, and names of relatives in Andover.

Those who wish to have a complete obituary published about a person who did not live in Andover can pay for a death notice. The cost of a death notice depends on the length of the notice.

Questions? Call Jack Grady or Neil Fater at 978-475-7000.

DEATHS

Pearl M. Cignoni, 90
Angela Collins, 88
Rev. Valerian M. Czywil, 89
Frank G. Fiore, 69
Howard N. Freedman, 80
Robert K. Look, 46
Elizabeth Myers, 92
Harry Edward Newton, 77
David L. Nicoll, 88
Santa G. Puglisi, 84
Angelo G. Sciuto, 73
Sister Aloyse St. James, 96

DEATHS ELSEWHERE

COLLINS – [illegible] Collins [illegible] and formerly of Lawrence, died Friday, April 25. [illegible] employed as a tax examiner at the Internal Revenue Service in Andover.

FIORE – Frank G. Fiore [illegible] North Andover [illegible] April [illegible] [illegible] Academy.

FREEDMAN – [illegible]

[illegible] School in Andover.

MYERS – Elizabeth (Rodger) Myers, 92, of Lawrence, died Saturday, April 26 at home. She worked at the Internal Revenue Service in Andover before retiring.

PUGLISI – Santa G. "Sally" [illegible] Puglisi, 84, of Methuen, died Saturday, April 26, at the [illegible] Nursing Home in North Andover. Members of her family include her daughter and son-in-law, Mary and James [illegible] of Andover.

SCIUTO – Angelo G. Sciuto, 73 [illegible] Tuesday April [illegible] Memorial [illegible]. Members of his family include his daughter [illegible] of Andover.

RELIGION NEWS

Story and song part of South Winds service

L[illegible] Lani Peterson [illegible] featured speaker at the South Winds contemporary worship [illegible] scheduled for Saturday, May [illegible] at South Church in Andover. [illegible] "Story as a Pathway to the Soul."

[illegible] service that will explore the spiritual [illegible] stories can open to us, Peterson, 45, will tell three stories [illegible] transformation that are rich in spirituality, integrity and vision.

Lani Peterson

She will be joined by local folksinger-songwriter Ed Parker, who will demonstrate the power of story through song, and a recorder ensemble from the North Andover Unitarian Church.

The service begins at 5 p.m. at South Church, 41 Central Street.

Peterson, who earned a PhD in psychology, has transformed a career [illegible] positive [illegible] leadership development.

She [illegible] storytelling [illegible] because [illegible] the private [illegible] therapeutic [illegible] lecturing [illegible] I have [illegible] the [illegible] transformative [illegible] learning [illegible] the story."

A CD of six of her stories including [illegible] those to be featured on Saturday [illegible] been released.

She [illegible]

Peterson says she [illegible] forward to the South Church service as a new venue for her storytelling because "the greatest teachers used parables and stories to reach beyond logical understanding and touch deeper meanings of how we are connected to things greater than ourselves."

ALL THOSE YEARS AGO

100 Years Ago – 1903

The readers of the *Townsman* will learn with regret that H.S. Stillings, who has for the past four years been so closely linked with town life as the reporter for these columns, has taken the position of advertising man and assistant to the business manager of the *Lawrence Telegram*.

William H. Higgins has sold a valuable sorrel colt to parties in Salem.

The through electric trolley service to Reading was well patronized Sunday and Monday, indicating that summer traffic has begun.

A class in raphia and reed work has been formed among the teachers at public schools.

The annual May Day breakfast to be held by the Woman's Relief Corps for the purpose of raising funds to be applied to the several charities pertaining to GAR veterans and their families, will be given as usual in the Town Hall, May 1.

75 Years Ago – 1928

The 38th anniversary of the founding of the General William F. Bartlett Women's Relief Corps was celebrated in a fitting manner Monday evening with a supper in the GAR Hall.

Andover's preferential vote for President in Tuesday's primary contributed to the lead which Secretary Herbert Hoover and Governor Alfred E. Smith had in the state over all other men whose names were written on the ballot.

Miss Mary Reagan of Salem Street accepted a telephone operator position at the local exchange.

The Andover Mother's Club held a successful food sale last Friday afternoon in the vacant store of the Musgrove building. Baked beans, bread, brown bread, cake and doughnuts were on sale.

A day of cold rain with patches of snow lingering from the fall of the previous day didn't dampen the enthusiasm of members of the Andover Garden Club and their friends who gathered at the South Church on Tuesday to attend the garden conference.

A meeting of the Shawsheen Lawn Bowling club will be held Sunday at two o'clock. Members and those who intend to be members are asked to attend.

50 Years Ago – 1953

The Abbot Birthday bazaar celebrating the 124th year of continuous operation of the school will take place on Saturday, May 2.

Daylight savings time will be in effect next Sunday morning much to the pleasure of those who like it and the annoyance of those who don't.

For distinguishing himself by extraordinary achievement in an aerial flight over enemy-held North Korea last May, Capt. James E. Wilson, USAF, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wilson of Lincoln Circle, has by direction of the President of the United States been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross.

Dr. John J. McArdle Jr., was elected a school physician at a meeting of the school board Tuesday night after the resignation of Dr. Philip W. Blake had been accepted with deep regret.

Census of Andover's preschool age children indicate no great jump in future school enrollment.

The Andover Town Bowling League completed a successful season with a banquet and entertainment at the East End Community Club in Methuen.

25 Years Ago – 1978

Sewers and schools are expected to be the feature attraction when the annual town meeting resumes tonight at 7:30 p.m. in Memorial Auditorium.

Greetings from Andover, England, were extended to Andover voters at town meeting Tuesday night.

Andover's dogs are going to be leashed – provided the attorney general approves the action of town meeting Monday night.

An operating budget in the vicinity of $22 million was expected to be the final figure approved by town meeting as [illegible] Wednesday night.

The Unitarian [illegible] Church of Andover [illegible] meeting on April 23 [illegible] series of measures [illegible] a series of changes [illegible] action [illegible] for meeting the [illegible] of the future.

The Andover [illegible] remain a [illegible]

10 Years Ago – 1993

[illegible]

the Branch Davidian cult, which was holed up against federal law enforcement officials.

School Committee members told the superintendent they do not completely agree with his plans on how to spend the extra $200,000 in state aid Andover is slated to receive.

Doug Adams, owner of the Rose Glen Dairy for the last 16 years, closed the dairy in December with plans to re-open in the spring, but now that won't happen. Instead, a bakery will open in that space at 52 Andover St.

Eric C. Angell of Andover will serve as a research assistant volunteer with the Student Conservation Association at the California Desert District.

Employees of the Ramada Rolling Green are taking advantage of crisis counseling following the drowning deaths late Wednesday evening, April 7 of three teenage boys from New York.

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Andover public schools' technology [illegible] Modern Educational [illegible] Government [illegible]

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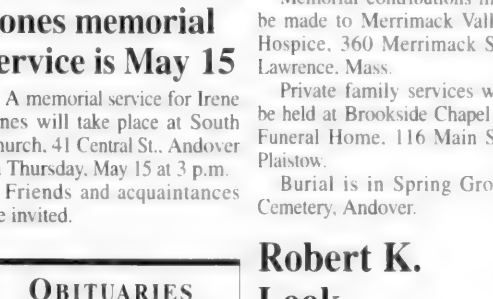

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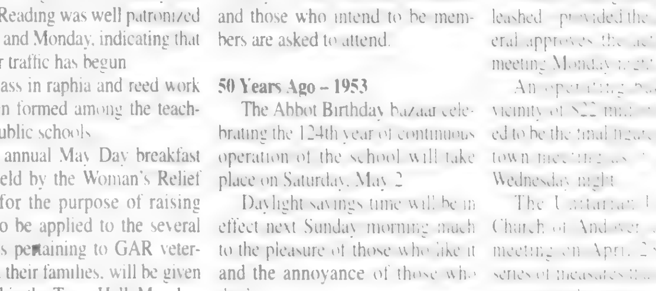

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Education

ON CAMPUS

Bentley College in Waltham announced the names of residents named to the dean's list for outstanding academic achievement, and the president's list for extraordinary academic achievement, in the fall semester.

To be named to the president's list, a full-time student must have a grade-point average of 3.7 or higher, with no course grade below 3.0 during the term. The following residents of Andover were named to the president's list:

- **Kristin O'Neill**, junior, information design and corporate communications major
- **Thomas Page**, junior, accountancy major.
- **Patrick Roy**, sophomore, undecided business major

To be named to the dean's list, a full-time student must have a grade-point average of 3.3 or higher, with no course grade below 2.0 during the term. Andover students are:

- **Christopher Brouillard**, freshman, economics/finance major
- **Danielle Castignetti**, junior, finance major.
- **Kate Gurry**, junior, finance major.
- **Caitlin Murray**, junior, accountancy major
- **Adam Rodger**, freshman, economics/finance major.
- **Nicholas Vaccaro**, freshman, accountancy major.
- **Jeffrey Vallera**, sophomore, accountancy major.

Roger Williams University in Bristol, R.I. recently announced the dean's list of the fall 2002 semester.

Included on the fall 2002 dean's list was **Erin A. McGuire** of Andover.

Students who completed 12 or more credits per semester and earned a grade-point average of 3.4 or higher are placed on the dean's list.

The University of Massachusetts Lowell fall semester 2002 dean's list included students from Andover:

- **Christopher P. Capano**, philosophy and communications
- **Ashley G. Chandler**, electrical engineering.
- **Thomas H. Clarke**, business administration management concentration
- **Christopher D. Lane**, business administration accounting concentration.
- **Rebecca B. McMahon**, psychology.
- **Michael K. Mossack**, business administration.

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Phillips celebrates turning 225

Former president George H.W. Bush attends weekend events

By Andrea Gregory

A GUEST APPEARANCE BY former president George H.W. Bush helped Phillips Academy celebrate its 225th anniversary this past weekend.

"The minute we saw him on stage everyone just rose to their feet," said Tana Sherman, director of public information at Phillips Academy.

Sherman said the former president gave a 15-minute speech to the students, faculty and alumni, with his focus on the celebration. Not everyone could fit in the chapel to see Bush on Saturday evening, and Sherman said the "spill-over crowd" watched Bush's speech on a screen in another building on campus.

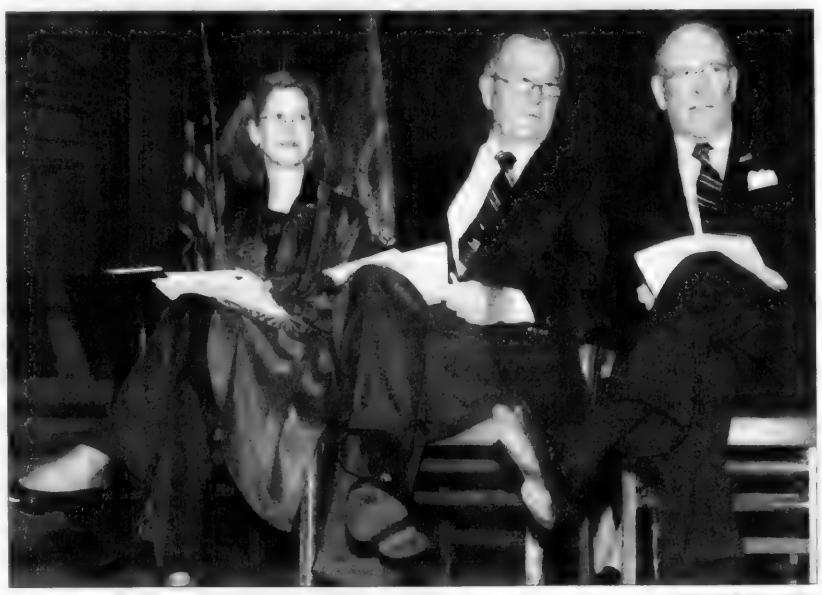
The event was closed to the public and the press.

"He's always glad to come back and we're very pleased to have him visit," she said.

While the majority of the Phillips community was watching Bush, Sherman said she heard a small group of protesters stood across the street holding peace signs. Earlier in the day, the group was spotted in front of Old Town Hall.

Bush's appearance was one of several weekend celebration events, most of which both looked into the past and ahead to the future of the prestigious private school.

Friday was a day for the students to step out of their classrooms and into the festivities. They had the option of choosing from several activities.



Phillips Academy capped a Celebration Weekend marking the 225th anniversery of Phillips Academy, the 175th anniversary of the founding of Abbot Academy and the successful completion of Campaign Andover with a ceremony in Cochran Chapel attended by alumni, faculty, students and parents. Speakers included (from left) Barbara Landis Chase, head of school, former President George Bush, class of 1942; and David M. Underwood, board of trustees president.

Picture this: Scavenger hunt

One option was a scavenger hunt where the students ran around campus looking to answer historical tidbits of information about the school. Not only were the students required to answer the questions, they also had to snap pictures proving they went to the location as well as came up with the answer.

"We just came up with that to make sure they're playing (by) the books," said Kevin Driscoll, student activities director.

The questions were put together by Driscoll, Martha Fenton, athletic director, and Dara Donahue, alumni council class of 1983 and Andover resident.

The students broke up into groups of four or five and each group was given a camera. They were given one hour to complete 10 questions and a bonus question. The prize was $225 to be divided up among the members of the winning team.

"It's a little spending money for the weekend," said Driscoll.

He said the winning team was not announced until after the film was developed.

Nice advice for women graduates

While several students scurried around campus, a group a female students listened to a panel discussion by successful women who graduated from Phillips. They gave the students real-world advice in a down-to-earth manner.

Emily Webb, one of the panel members, graduated in 1989. Now working in cooperate communications for publishing company Condé Nast, Webb admitted that she needed to have a high-profile job.

"I wasn't prepared to be anonymous," Webb said. "I was terrified of being anonymous."

Hope Woodhouse, class of 1974, said the hardest part in choosing a career path is discovering what one is passionate about. "Nobody here should have a clue as to what they want to do," Woodhouse said. "Pick something you love."

Along with assuring the young women of Phillips Academy it is OK to make mistakes, Woodhouse told them it was also OK to let a feminine side show at work. She said it's all right to giggle, laugh and smile, and these things may even assist workers.

"Smile and be nice," she said, stressing it shouldn't just be an act put on for those holding higher positions, but a way to approach treating everyone.

She addressed life as a whole, speaking about handling a marriage, kids, long commutes and time management.

"People wonder about doing it all. You never do it all," said Woodhouse. "What you do learn is how to prioritize."

Saturday on the bus

On Saturday it was time for Phillips alumni to catch up on their school's activities by attending seminars, or taking a deeper look into the school's community involvement off campus.

Learning more about Phillips Academy's community involvement meant getting on a bus and traveling to locations in Lawrence where the often-more-fortunate students at Phillips give back to the community. The tour was given by Mike Koehler, interim director of community services.

During the bus ride, Koehler said more than 60 percent of the student body takes part in more than 30 programs.

The first stop was Bread and Roses, where alumni heard first-hand from Bob Lanzoni about the benefits of having students lend a hand to the less fortunate. "We're only funded by the good will of other people," he said. "We ask for volunteers and people do a lot."

Phillips students stop by to cook dinner once a month, and twice a month they serve and

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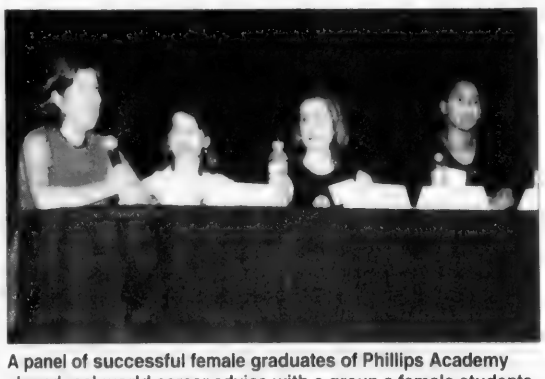
During Phillips Academy's anniversary weekend, students took part in a scavenger hunt, documenting that they checked out buildings on the campus with historical significance. From left are Erika Chow, Elizabeth Finnegan, Elizabeth Ryznar, Ben Waters, Mike Crivaro and Chelsea Paige.



A panel of successful female graduates of Phillips Academy shared real-world career advice with a group a female students. From left are Hope Woodhouse, class of 1974; Karen Humphries Sallick, '83; Emily Webb, '89; and Allison Picott, '88.

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UMASS LOWELL

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• **Matthew Murphy**, computer science.

• **Nolan R. Pelletier**, BFA graphic design.

• **Viki A. Pierce**, business administration.

• **Amelia S. Pineault**, graphic design.

• **DelRae M. Rippett**, criminal justice.

• **Kara L. Robidoux**, business administration management concentration.

• **Lisa M. Tylus**, nursing.

• **Michael R. Wallace**, business administration.

• **Joshua H. Wilkie**, electrical engineering.

A grade-point average of at least 3.0 with no grade lower than a B must be attained for inclusion on the dean's list.

George K. Lewis was named to the provost's and dean's lists for the fall semester at the University of Miami in Coral Gables, Fla. Lewis, a freshman, is a biomedical engineering major in the College of Engineering Sciences.

He is also a defenseman on the UMiami Intercollegiate Roller Hockey team competing in the South Eastern US Roller Hockey League. At UMiami, Lewis received the Gino Torretta Athletic Scholarship.

He is a member of the Sigma Alpha Mu fraternity and was recently recognized with the Young Scholar Foundation Award. A peer tutor, he coaches youth hockey in Kendall, Fla.

Lewis is a 2002 graduate of Andover High School.

Northeastern University recognized those students who distinguish themselves academically during the course of the school year.

Local residents **Andrea Manners** and **Justin Roy** were named to the university's dean's list for the fall quarter.

Andover residents **Duncan J. Cooper**, son of Donald and Donna Cooper; **Kira N. Ventura**, daughter of Ronnie G. Ventura; and **Benjamin S.H. Wessler**, son of Fredi Anne Hurwitz and John S. Wessler, have been named college scholars for academic excellence during the 2002 fall term at Middlebury College in Middlebury, Vt. A college scholar represents the highest level of academic achievement at the liberal arts institution in Vermont.

To be selected, students must carry a full course load of four or more classes during semester, achieve a grade-point average of 3.6 or higher, and earn no grade lower than a "B-".

The following local residents were named to the dean's list during the 2002 fall term at Middlebury College: **David S. Sharp**, son of Larry and Marcia Kline Sharp; **Jenny M. Hsu**, daughter of Frank and Hueyying Hsu; and **Sophia A. Walter**, daughter of Christopher Walter.

The dean's list is the second highest recognition for academic achievement at the school. To be selected, students must achieve a grade-point average of 3.3 or higher, and earn no grade lower than a "B-".

The following Andover residents have been named to the 2002 fall semester dean's list at Connecticut College in New London, Conn. Dean's honors recognize students who have received a grade-point average of 3.3–3.69 and dean's high honors recognize students who have achieved 3.70–4.0.

• **Nicholas B. Culver**, class of 2006, achieved dean's honors.

• **Alyson Rebecca Gerber**, class of 2006, achieved dean's honors.

• **Tara Anne Peek**, class of 2003, achieved dean's honors.

Eight North Shore Community College students taking an interior plantscaping course won some of the most prestigious awards the New England Spring Flower Show presents for their exhibit "Journey Under the Sea."

The students in the program include **Terese C. O'Connell** of Andover.

Their exhibit, which depicted a coral reef as viewed by a scuba diver and incorporated hundreds of dangling faux fish the students made, caught the attention of the judges, who were impressed by the creativity and juxtapostion of using desert plant material to simulate an undersea display. Judges awarded the exhibit:

• the Massachusetts Horticultural Society Gold Medal for excellence in execution of theme;

• the Massachusetts Horticultural Society President's Award for an exhibit of exceptional quality and public interest;

• the Roger Dane Trophy for an exhibit that shows outstanding dedication, creativity and knowledge; and

• the Plant Society Certificate for a display of plants of educational value and cultural perfection that best represents the interests of that society.

More than 54 garden exhibitors and 180 retail exhibitors participated in the 132nd Flower Show, held March 15 to 23 at Bayside Expo Center in Boston.

The following Andover residents were awarded honors on the fall 2002 semester dean's list at Marist College in Poughkeepsie, N.Y.: **Amy Durant**, a freshman, daughter of Lesley and Donald Durant; and **Meghan Penny**, a freshman, daughter of Laurie and William Penny.

Catherine Filbin, of 40 Oriole Drive, participated in St. Lawrence University's International Study Program for the Spring 2003 semester in Canton, N.Y.

Filbin, a member of the class of '04, went to England for the semester.

St. Lawrence, a coeducational liberal arts and sciences institution of 2,000 students in Canton, N.Y., operates programs of study in Australia, Austria, Canada, China, Costa Rica, Denmark, England, France, India, Italy, Japan, Kenya, Spain, and Trinidad.

Christopher Joseph Cordima, a resident of Andover, has been elected to the Iota Chapter of the Phi Beta Kappa Society at Gettysburg College in Gettysburg, Pa. Cordima is a member of the class of 2003.

Also at Gettysburg College, the following students from Andover have been placed on either the dean's honor list or the dean's commendation list for outstanding academic achievement in the fall 2002 term at the College.

• **Christopher Cordima**, a senior, dean's honors list.

• **Monica Everett**, a senior, dean's commendation list.

• **Robert Rawlinson**, a senior, dean's commendation list.

Students with a quality-point average of 3.6 or higher (on a 4.0 scale) for a semester's work are placed on the dean's honor list. Students with a quality-point average of 3.33 or higher for a semester's work are placed on the dean's commendation list.

Sacred Heart University, Fairfield, Conn. has announced that 1,311 students, including **Katharine Boshar** from Andover, made the dean's list during the fall semester. To receive this honor, a student must achieve a 3.4 grade-point average, based on a 4.0 scale.

Westfield State College in Westfield, Mass., has announced the names of students who have achieved the dean's list for the fall semester 2002.

Among these outstanding students are **Nathan G. Pelletier** of 24 Woodhaven Drive, who is majoring in environmental science.

Tufts University announced the dean's list for the fall 2002 semester.

Andrew Varley from Andover earned this academic honor, which requires a semester grade-point average of 3.4 or greater.

Babson College announces the following local residents qualified for the fall semester dean's list, which recognizes outstanding student scholarship: Pauline Jun, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jin Won Jun, of Andover; and **Shonak Patel**, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kirit N. Patel, of Andover.

John Canavan, of 35 Pleasant St., has been named to the dean's list for the fall semester at Merrimack College.

He is a business major.

AND THE WINNER IS ...

Taylor Scult, a fourth-grader at High Plain Elementary, is shown casting her vote for the Massachusetts Children's Book Award at High Plain's library earlier this spring. Students in grades 4-6 across the state participated in the program sponsored by Salem State College. To be eligible to vote students needed to read a minimum of five novels from a recommended list of 25 titles. In an interesting twist, all four schools in Andover that cast ballots chose a different book from the list as its favorite. West Middle's sixth-graders picked *Graduation of Jake Moon* by Barbara Park, Bancroft's favorite was *Fever, 1793* by Laurie Halse Anderson, High Plain supported Andrew Clement's *The Janitor's Boy*, while Wood Hill Middle had a tie between *Esperanza Rising* by Pamela Munoz Ryan and *Artemis Fowl* by Eoin Colfer. Salem State College tabulated the results and announced in late April that *Artemis Fowl* earned the 2003 Massachusetts Children's Book Award. Three of the books that were popular here in town were named Honor Books: *Fever, 1793*; *The Janitor's Boy*; and *Esperanza Rising*.

Bancroft PTO sponsoring Father-Daughter Dance

Bancroft Elementary's Fifth Annual Father-Daughter Dance "That's My Gal!" will be held tomorrow, Friday, May 2 from 7 to 10 p.m. at the Andover High School Field House.

Tickets are $20 per family (dad and daughters), and will be available at the door. Black-eyed susan and gingham silk corsages will be available for $7.

Organizers are planning an evening of dancing, refreshments and county fair games.

For more information, call Sara Doyle at 978-475-5751.

Andover Economic Project presents a lecture on international economic policy

The Phillips Academy Andover Economic Project will begin its spring lecture with Dani Rodrik, professor of international political economy, John F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University, at 8 tonight, Thursday, May 1, in Kemper Auditorium, Chapel Avenue, on the Phillips Academy campus.

This event is open to the public.

Rodrik has published widely in the areas of international economics, economic development and political economy. His research focuses on what constitutes good economic policy and why some governments are better than others in adopting it.

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PHOTO BY TIM JEAN

A procession of flags marches up the main aisle of Cochran Chapel during Phillips Academy's anniversary weekend.

help clean up. Lanzoni says it's not just the cooking and cleaning, but the time students give that makes such a difference. "It seems to me the kids who come want to come," he said.

The tour bus also stopped at the Lawrence Family Development Charter School. Years ago, Phillips student Todd Pugatch, class of 1997, came up with an idea that is still in place today.

The program, Project Voice is a two-way learning street, where Phillips students help Spanish-speaking immigrants study for their citizenship tests, while the recent immigrants help the students with their Spanish.

"It brings out in the students an empowerment that wouldn't otherwise happen," said Rebecca McCann, a Spanish teacher at Phillips who has kept the service learning program running.

She has 31 students who travel to the charter school to tutor immigrants.

"It's really beautiful because everyone is a teacher and everyone is a learner," she said.

Alumni also stopped at the Boys and Girls Club, another community organization to which Phillips students give their time.

"I think the school has definitely evolved with the times," said Amy Ferraro, class of 1991, who was impressed with the community-service options available to students.

Ferraro said these types of programs tear down prep school myths, which benefits the school and its nearby communities. "People really give back to the community," she said. "I think it's great."

Ferraro said she was going to stick around to hear Bush make his speech.

"I don't agree with everything he's ever done, but I have a lot of respect for him," she said.

Bush did not stay for the alumni dinner, during which time the student body closed out the celebration with a dance.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENUS

Here's what's for lunch in the Andover public schools May 1-2 and next week, May 5-9:

Elementary schools

Thursday (May 1): Fish-and-chips, mozzarella sticks, french toast and sausage, french fries, orange and milk.

Friday (May 2): Barbecue chicken dinner, hot dog on a roll, bakery pizza, corn on the cob, pineapple and milk.

Monday: Spaghetti and meatballs, baked chicken nuggets, pizza stick with soft pretzel, green beans, pears and milk.

Tuesday: Two taco Tuesday, chocolate chip pancakes, slice of pizza, corn, peaches, milk and brownie.

Wednesday: Chicken salad roll with chips, nachos with chicken and cheese, pizza ring, peas, mixed fruit and milk. Lucky tray day.

Thursday: Hot pastrami on a roll, mozzarella sticks, french toast and sausage, carrots, blueberries and milk.

Friday: Roast turkey dinner, hot dog on a roll, bakery pizza, mashed potato, strawberries and milk.

Doherty Middle School

Thursday (May 1): Baked pork chops, cheeseburger with chips, bakery pizza, green beans, pears and milk.

Friday (May 2): Barbecue chicken, barbecue rib sandwich, baked chicken nuggets, corn on the cob, blueberries and milk.

Monday: Spaghetti and meatballs, two hot dogs with chips, baked chicken nuggets, french fries, apple and milk.

Tuesday: Two taco Tuesday, nachos with chicken and cheese, stuffed crust pizza, carrots, peaches and milk.

Wednesday: Pizza stick with two soft pretzels, chicken McSchool, mozzarella sticks, corn, peaches and milk.

Thursday: Hot pastrami on roll, cheeseburger with chips, bakery pizza, potato puffs, strawberries, milk and brownie.

Friday: Roast turkey dinner, barbecue rib sandwich, baked chicken nuggets, green beans, pears and milk.

Secondary schools

Thursday (May 1): Baked pork chops, stuffed crust pizza, meatball sub, mashed potato, pears and milk.

Friday (May 2): Pot roast dinner, bakery pizza, spaghetti and meatballs, carrots, blueberries and milk.

Monday: Barbecue chicken, bakery pizza, ziti and meat sauce, corn on the cob, strawberries and milk.

Tuesday: Two egg McMuffins with fries, stuffed crust pizza, veal parm sub, potato, apple, milk and brownie.

Wednesday: Roast pork dinner, bakery pizza, spaghetti ilio olio, peas, pineapple and milk.

Thursday: Fish and chips, stuffed crust pizza, meatball sub, carrots, blueberries and milk.

Friday: Chicken McSchool, bakery pizza, spaghetti and meatballs, corn, mixed fruit and milk.

Menus subject to change. Lunch prices are: Elementary student $1.50; adult $2.25. Secondary student $1.75 or $2.50; adult $2.50 or $3.25.

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Arts & Entertainment

EVENTS CALENDAR

Thursday, May 1

Drumming, Andover Women's Drumming Circle (sponsored by the Andover Senior Center and led by Jane Gossard) will be joined by staff from Turning the Wheel to offer *Drumming and Dancing for Joy*, bring an instrument, some drums and other percussive instruments will be provided, 12:30 to 2 p.m., Old Town Hall; Pat Becker at the Andover Senior Center 978-623-8321, Jane Gossard 978-475-8873.

Preview Night, Memorial Hall Library's annual book sale Early Bird Special, $20, 6:30-8:30 p.m., Memorial Hall Library, 978-623-8401.

Lecture, the Phillips Academy Andover Economic Project spring lecture series, Dan Rodrik, professor of international political economy, John F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University, free, 8 p.m., Kemper Auditorium, Chapel Avenue, Phillips Academy; 978-749-4220.

Carnival, North Andover Youth Services will host its Annual Spring Carnival through Sunday, May 4, behind the North Andover Middle School (rain or shine), hours as follows: Thursday, 5-9 p.m.; Friday, 5-11 p.m.; Saturday, noon-11 p.m. and Sunday, 1-9 p.m.

Live music, Pierce Pettis, $10, 8 p.m., Capo's, 98 Middle St., Lowell; 978-453-5755.

Circus, Shrine Circus, $15, $10 children, 10 a.m. and 7 p.m., Shriners Auditorium, 99 Fordham Road, Wilmington, all seats reserved; 781-665-6466, 978-657-4202, 800-700-0013, www.alepposhriners.com.

Friday, May 2

Theater, Andover High School Drama Guild presents *The Chopin Playoffs*, $10, $5 seniors and students with ID, tickets at the box office, Collins Center, Shawsheen Road; 978-623-8666.

"That's My Gal!" Bancroft Elementary's fifth annual Father Daughter Dance, an evening of dancing, refreshments and county fair games, tickets $20 per family (dad and daughters), available at the door, corsages available for $7, 7-10 p.m., Andover High School Field House, Shawsheen Road; Sara Doyle 978-475-5751.

Live music, the Phillips Academy music department will present senior students performing in five individual concerti accompanied by the Academy Chamber Orchestra under the direction of William Thomas, free, 7:30 p.m., Cochran Chapel, Phillips Academy; music department 978-749-4995 or music@andover.edu.

Tot Shabbat services, Temple Emanuel's service oriented for toddlers, preschool- and young school-aged children, 5:45 p.m., parents and children are invited to attend a family shabbat dinner immediately following the service, Temple Emanuel, 7 Haggetts Pond Road, reservations needed for dinner only; 978-470-1356.

Book sale, Memorial Hall Library will be holding its annual book sale during regular library hours, Memorial Hall Library, 978-623-8401.

Musical, National Touring Company, Downstairs Cabaret Theater will present *Ain't Misbehavin'*, the music of Thomas (Fats) Waller, $18-$22, 8 p.m., Rogers Center for the Arts, Merrimack College, North Andover; 978-837-5355, www.merrimack.edu/rogers.

Gala benefit, dinner, dance, silent and live auction, to benefit St. Jude Children's Hospital, $75 per person, 6 p.m., Andover Country Club, tickets call Sandra Hackett 1-800-341-5800.

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Marcia Estabrook performs *Mill Girls*, transforming herself into three different 19th century workers from Lowell, free, 7:30 p.m., ages 10 to adult, Andover Bookstore, 89 Main St.; 1-800-491-0143 or info @andoverbookstore.com

Opening reception, and Poetry Slam, Essex Art Center, Main Gallery; *I.D.*; Elizabeth Beland Gallery; *Taking Liberties*; 5-8 p.m., Essex Art Center, 60 Island St., Lawrence; 978-685-2343.

Live comedy, Chris Zito, Paul Keenan, Chris Jones, $12, 9:30 p.m., Comedy Escape at the China Blossom, North Andover; 781-938-8088.

Live comedy, Jim Lauletta, $12, 8 p.m. and 10:30 p.m., Jokemavens Comedy Club, Guest House Inn and Suites, 159 Pelham St., Methuen; 866-404-JOKE or www.jokemaven.com

Live music, Thea Hopkins, 8 p.m., The Crescent Dragon, 59 Washington St., Haverhill, tickets: 978-372-5441, www.crescentdragon.com

Live music, Stan Swiniarski and Janet Feld, $10-$12, 8 p.m., Capo's, 98 Middle St., Lowell; 978-453-5755.

Circus, 10 a.m. and 7 p.m., *see May 1 entry*.

Saturday, May 3

Plant sale, the Spade and Trowel Garden Club of Andover plant sale, 9 a.m.-1 p.m., funds raised benefit scholarships and civic beautification projects, in the Park, Bartlet and Chestnut streets.

Theater, Colonial Chorus Players presents *Honk*, Andover residents include Dana Bissett, assistant director; Justin H. Colombo who plays Barnacles, Ensemble; Ben Pascucci as Bull Frog and Tim Vincent as Greylag, $10-$14, 8 p.m., Doherty Middle School, for tickets call 781-944-9780, or at www.colonialchorus.com.

Book sale, Friends of the Tewksbury Public Library will sponsor a used book sale at the library, 10 a.m.-noon, Tewksbury Public Library, 300 Chandler St., Tewksbury; 978-640-4490.

Family day, Windrush Farm Therapeutic Equitation presents Fun Family Day, horse and pony rides, games, plant sale and more, $5 parking all monies benefit therapeutic riding program, 10 a.m.-3 p.m., 30 Brookview Road, Boxford; 978-682-7855, www.windrushfarm.org.

Live music, Northern Essex Community College Chorus and Performance Ensemble will present its Spring Music Concert music ranging from classical to jazz to salsa, $3, 7:30 p.m., Library Conference Center, Haverhill Campus, Michael Finegold 978-556-3414, mfinegold@necc.mass.edu.

Live music, Swinging Steaks, $10-$12, 8 p.m., Capo's, 98 Middle St., Lowell; 978-453-5755.

South Winds, a contemporary worship service titled *Story as a Pathway to the Soul*, with local storyteller Lani Peterson, and folk singer/songwriter Ed Parker, 5 p.m., South Church, 41 Central St.;

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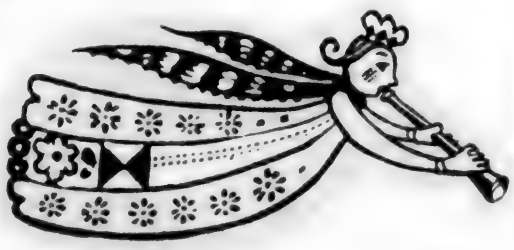

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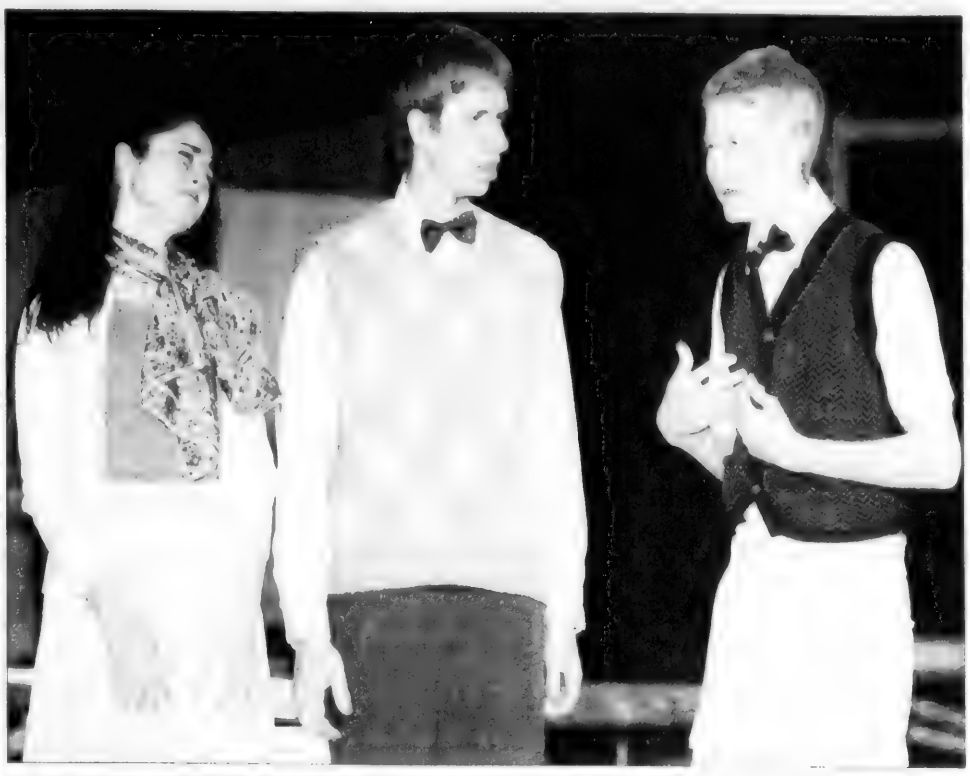
The power of story and song – Local storyteller and "spell-binder" Lani Peterson will be the featured speaker at the South Winds contemporary worship service scheduled for Saturday, May 3 at South Church in Andover. The service is titled Story as a Pathway to the Soul. She will be joined by local folksinger/songwriter Ed Parker, who will demonstrate the power of story through song, and a recorder ensemble from the North Andover Unitarian Church. The service begins at 5 p.m. at South Church, 41 Central St.



Taking part in the Andover High production of *The Chopin Playoffs* this weekend, from left: Mary Claire Olsheskie, who plays Fern Fipps; Alex Hanna as Irving Yanover; and Mike McNamara, playing Stanley Rosen.

Andover High Drama Guild's spring show is this weekend

On a less serious note

By Ben Hellman

GRAVITY WAS THE LAST THING director Susan Sepich was going for when she planned the Andover High School spring show. Making her decision while the country was edging towards war – and coming down from Andover High's successful, but heavy *Les Miserables* – Sepich says she wanted something "funny and lighthearted."

Andover High School students are poised and ready to deliver just that.

This Friday and Saturday the young actors creating *The Chopin Playoffs* hope to transport audiences to another time and place, says Sepich. That is precisely what she needed. "I don't get reality TV. I live in reality," she says. "Theater should take us to another world."

Playoffs brings audiences to a small town in Canada in the late 1940s, where two Jewish teenagers have decided to hold a piano contest to win the hand of a non-Jewish girl they both like.

Senior Mary Claire Olsheskie plays the "very logical" Fern Fipps, the object of the two boys' affections. Olsheskie says humor ensues when her character accidentally stands up one boy for the other because they are so similar.

Senior Alex Hanna plays one of the boys courting the girl. He says this is one of the first shows he has done that his younger cousins will enjoy. "Kids are welcome. It is indeed a family show," he says.

At home with the Rosen family – In *The Chopin Playoffs*, Mike McNamara, playing Stanley Rosen, is informed by his mother, Pearl, played by Becki Dennis, that she doesn't approve of the love triangle he has become one third of. At left, Sean Bartley plays Stanley's dad, Barney Rosen.

Looking back on the string of serious shows the drama guild has tackled in the past year and a half, Sepich says *The Chopin Playoffs* is a welcome change. "I can't have another play where people die," she says.

That scratched *Romeo and Juliet*, another play she considered this year.

"I felt we needed to laugh as a theater guild," she says, adding that the community at large might also need to laugh. Sepich and cast are hoping for a good turnout. The spring plays usually do not get the turnout that the fall musicals do. And it would be hard to beat *Les Miserables*, as the show sold 3,101 tickets, breaking AHS records.

The Chopin Playoffs is by contemporary Massachusetts playwright Israel Horovitz. Shows are Friday and Saturday nights at 7:30, at the Collins Center.

Tickets are $10 for general public; $5 with an Andover High School ID.

Crafts in the Park returns with 100 vendors

Organizers say it's a hit among local artisans; many are repeat participants

By Judy Wakefield

IT WAS A YEAR AGO THIS MONTH when photographer Paige Brown and her husband moved to Andover. They bought a house on Poor Street and like many newcomers, have been busy fixing it up. But just as important for the aspiring photographer was making time to investigate the Andover arts scene.

Last September's Arts in the Park was the first stop and next weekend's Crafts in the Park is the next one.

The spring event is important for many local artisans looking to sell their wares, and Brown is hoping for a good business launch.

"I'm looking to get my feet wet and this sounds like the place to do it," said Brown, who specializes in family portrait work, often photographing people outdoors. She will have a booth at the event.

Crafts in the Park is indeed a good launching pad for artsy newcomers like Brown, according to event organizers. They point to the event's longevity and good profit margins as proof of how important the show is for local artisans looking to make some money with their crafts.

"We can't count attendance as it's an open-air park, but the indication we get is that participants do very well. Year after year, we have people coming back and some of them have been here for 10 to 15 years," said organizer Susan Wahr of Andover. "Lots of people come. And, they buy."

This year marks the 28th consecutive year for Andover Crafts in the Park, which will be held – rain or shine – on Saturday, May 10 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Park, at the corner of Bartlet and Chestnut streets in downtown Andover. Admission is free.

The event is always sponsored by the Andover chapter of American Field Service, a group that oversees student exchange programs. Profits

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Photographer Paige Brown of Poor Street is ready to exhibit her work as part of Crafts in the Park. She holds a photo of an Aquinnah, Martha's Vineyard, morning. Below: One of Brown's black-and-white photos.

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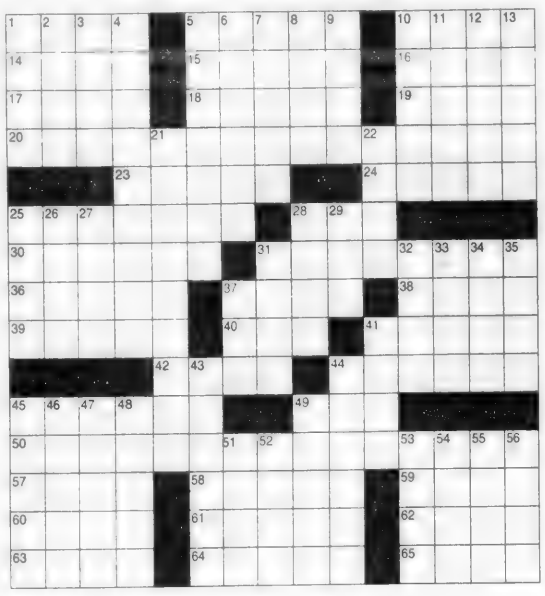

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18. In a way, looks
19. Desolate
20. Eat like a horse
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24. Skins
25. Balls
28. Denotes three
30. Showing intense emotion
31. Local anesthetic
36. Loose fiber
37. Whale ship captain
38. An open way for travel
39. Exactly vertical or true
40. Noun suffix denoting territory
41. Motorcar
42. Compass point
44. Heavy rope for nautical use
45. Knights' garment
49. Annual grass of Europe and N Africa
50. Thinking, Italian style
57. Deceived
58. Sir Chandrasekhara __, Indian physicist
59. Something beneficial that is bestowed
60. Clearance or garage
61. __ Jong, writer
62. Tributary of the Mississippi R
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64. Isaac's mother (Bib.)
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1. A way to fasten
2. Liberal rights organization
3. Beef
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6. 16th and 17th century man's garment
7. Tin Pan or bowling
8. Sandbar
9. Six, Fr.
10. Diacritical mark
11. Sun-dried brick
12. Untamed
13. Black rockweeds
21. German trial city
22. Impressive in size or scope
25. Small establishment
26. Make a ringing sound
27. Hawaiian wreath
28. Electric car
29. Rip off
31. Illumination unit
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33. Notes of hand
34. The back side of the neck
35. German river
37. Promotional materials
41. Roman Statesman
43. In a way, feels deep affection for
44. "__and Her Sisters"
45. Oklahoma city
46. Oriental
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48. Chain of mountains
49. Japanese Archipelago
51. Ancient Japanese religious ctr
52. Independent ruler or chieftan
53. Double-reed instrument
54. Arab country on Qatar peninsula
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EVENTS CALENDAR

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Live comedy, Chris Zito, Paul Keenan, Chris Jones, $12, 9:30 p.m., Comedy Escape at the China Blossom, North Andover; 781-938-8088.

Live comedy, Steve Burton, Jim Lauletta, $12, R-rated hypnotist Joey Devito every Sat. 10:30 p.m., Jokemavens Comedy Club, Guest House Inn and Suites, 159 Pelham St., Methuen; 866-404-JOKE. www.jokemaven.com.

Silent Auction, Art Scholarship Fundraiser, professional artists have donated work to bid on including Merry Beninato, Louise Henderson, Miriam Aubry (Andover artists), and Joan Rademacher, Judith Larmay, Robert Cory, Diane Maroun, Karen Fitzgerald, 10 a.m.-2 p.m., Methuen High School, main lobby.

Open studio, pottery and sculptural works, 12 North Shore potters, 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Purple Sage Pottery, 3 Mechanic St., Merrimac; 978-346-9978.

Live music, Late Bloomers, no cover, 9 p.m., Higher Ground Coffee House, 194 Middle St., Lowell; 978-453-4007.

Book sale, *see May 2 entry.*

Circus, 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. and 7 p.m., *see May 1 entry.*

Sunday, May 4

Live music, organ recital, Jonathan Schakel organ, Megan Sharp soprano, music of Bruhns, Bach and Mendelssohn, $5, 4 p.m., South Church, 41 Central St.; 978-475-0321.

Live music, the Phillips Academy music department presents a senior recital by Kim Tran, free, 4 p.m., Timken Room, Graves Hall, Phillips Academy; 978-749-4263 or e-mail to music@andover.edu.

Live music, Treble Chorus of New England present a concert honoring grandparents, three youth choirs ages 5 to 17, free-will offering, 3 p.m., West Parish Church, Route 133 and Reservation Road; 978-837-5426.

Slide lecture, Andover Historical Society presents Sunday Sojourns Through Andover History, *High on the Hill*, Phillips Academy archivist and art instructor Ruth Quattlebaum will discuss the establishment of the schools that gave Andover an international reputation as a citadel of learning, $5 members, $10 non-members, 2 p.m., Andover Historical Society, 97 Main St., 978-475-2236, www.andhist.org.

Live music, New England Classical Singers present *The Glory of Music*, $15, $10 seniors and students, 3 p.m., tickets can be obtained at the Andover Bookstore or the Rogers Center box office 978-837-5355, Rogers Center for the Arts, Merrimack College, North Andover; www.merrimack.edu/rogers.

Habitat for Humanity, join women involved in the official start of the first *Women Build Project, Our Wall Rising*, this program is about empowering women to take action on issues that disproportionately affect women and children, 2 p.m., 76 12th Ave., Haverhill; 978-681-8858, www.habitatlawrence.org.

Talk, explore the what and how of spiritual healing, 3 p.m., Edgewood Retirement Community, 575 Osgood St., North Andover; 978-688-8346.

Live music, Barbara and Al Boudreau Jazz Quartet, 4:30-8:30 p.m., Ipswich Bay Bar and Grill, 24-26 Hammatt St., Ipswich, reservations recommended; 978-356-7006.

Book sale, *see May 2 entry.*

Circus, 2 p.m. and 6 p.m., *see May 1 entry.*

Honk, 2 p.m., *see May 3 entry.*

Open studio, noon to 5 p.m., *see May 3 entry.*

Monday, May 5

No scheduled events.

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Tuesday, May 6

Meeting, Andover Garden Club Annual Meeting and Historical Program, the Andover Garden Club celebrates 75 years of gardening in Andover, free to members, 11:30 a.m., Unitarian Universalist Congregation, 6 Locke St., reservations required, Karen Schnorrenberg 978-474-8973 or karensberg@attbi.com.

Yoga class, Introduction to Siddha Yoga Meditation, 7:30-9 p.m., Siddha Yoga Meditation Center of Andover, 45 Whittier St., 978-470-3118.

Live music, open mic, no cover, 9 p.m., Higher Ground Coffee House, 194 Middle St., Lowell; 978-453-4007.

Wednesday, May 7

Talk, Friends of Stevens Memorial Library will host Kathleen Dalton, Andover resident and author of *Theodore Roosevelt: A Strenuous Life*, free, 7 p.m., 345 Main St., North Andover; 978-685-4596.

Merrimack Valley Camera club meeting, Alaska Wilderness, by Mark Wilson, photos of the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge, free, light refreshments 7 p.m., program 7:45 p.m., Trinitarian Congregational Church, Elm Street, North Andover; 978-455-8519, www.mvcameraclub.org.

Boating Basics, Massachusetts boating basics, for youth ages 12-15, six night attendance required for Safety Certificate, 7-9 p.m., May 7, 14, 21, 28 and June 4 and 11, the Andover Sportmen's Club, Harold Parker State Forest, Salem Street, North Andover, pre-registration is required, 617-727-8760 or 508-790-9360.

Speaker, Middlesex Community College Foundation *Celebrity Forum* presents *An Evening with David McCullough: History as a Source of Strength*, $20-$65, 8 p.m., Lowell Memorial Auditorium, 50 E. Merrimack St., Lowell, tickets at box office or call MCC: 978-656-3238.

Thursday, May 8

Joan Anderson

Talk, and book signing, Joan Anderson, author of *A Year by the Sea* and *An Unfinished Marriage*, free, 7 p.m., Andover Bookstore, 89 Main St; 1-800-491-0143.

Story telling and opening, Andover Historical Society presents *Turning the World Upside Down*, storytellers/actors Susan Lenoe and Lani Peterson will give an interactive performance of Sarah and Angelina Grimke, sisters from a South Carolina plantation who campaigned against slavery and for the rights of women, 7 p.m. Opening *Slavery, Anti-Slavery & The Underground Railroad in Andover*, $5 members, $10 non-members, Andover Historical Society, 97 Main St., 978-475-2236, www.andhist.org

Workshop, Elder Services Navigating Choice Speaker Series presents a interactive workshop on baby boomers as they approach their later life, *Home: It's where you hang your hat! Where will that be for you?*, free, 7-9 p.m., Andover Memorial Hall Library, limited seating, RSVP 1-800-892-0890 Ext. 347.

Live music, Eric Taylor, $10-$12, 8 p.m., Capo's, 98 Middle St., Lowell; 978-453-5755.

Friday, May 9

Theater, Merrimack Junior Theater presents *Fiddler on the Roof*, $8, 7:30 p.m., Doherty Middle School Auditorium, tickets available at Andover Department of Community Services, Strawberry Tree, cast members and at the door (if available); Kathy Abisso 978-474-4748 or Claudia Richards 978-685-8083.

Variety Show, Annual Bancroft Variety Show, $8, 6:30 p.m., bake sale during intermission, Collins Center, proceeds benefit the Bancroft School.

Opening reception and gallery talk, Andover Historical Society presents Contemporary Andover Artists Series exhibition, recent pastels, watercolors and prints by Diane M. Pitochelli, $3 for members, $5 for non-members, 7:30-9:00 p.m., Andover Historical Society, 97 Main St., 978-475-2236, www.andhist.org.

Breakfast meeting, Merrimack Valley Chamber of Commerce Government Affairs Series presents William Galvin, secretary of state, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, $18 members, $ 25 non-members, 7:30 a.m.-9 a.m., Wyndham Andover Hotel, 978-975-3600.

Live comedy, Kevin Knox, Harrison Stebbins, Phil Doyle, $12, 9:30 p.m., Comedy Escape at the China Blossom, North Andover; 781-938-8088.

Tour, annual Door Open Lowell, a look inside 30 of Lowell's historic buildings (many normally not open to the public), free, schedules and tour routes available at the Lowell National Historical Park Visitor Center; 978-275-1818, www.doorsopenlowell.org

Live music, David Mallet, $10-$12, 8 p.m., Capo's, 98 Middle St., Lowell; 978-453-5755.

Saturday, May 10

Crafts, Andover Crafts in the Park, free, 10 a.m.- 4 p.m., amateur and professional crafts people.

Walk, Hoof It! Day of Andover presents *Leave your Car Behind*, the idea is to get people to forget about their car and to walk where they are going or at least part of the way. Some suggestions: stroll around your neighborhood, town, the Park; hike Harold Parker Park; climb Holt Hill, tour Andover.

Live music, Christine Lavin, $17, doors open 7:15 p.m., show 8 p.m. Crossroads Coffeehouse, North Parish Unitarian Universalist Church, 190 Academy Road, North Andover; 978-687-3960 or call 978-687-7948.

Volunteer orientation, learn about Habitat for Humanity, join our next orientation, tour the neighborhoods in which Habitat builds, meet other volunteers and homeowners, learn about volunteer opportunities and visit the worksite, 9-11 a.m., meet at 25 Bevel St., Lawrence, reserve a spot call the Habitat office 978-681-8858

Live comedy, Kevin Knox, Harrison Stebbins, Phil Doyle, $12, 9:30 p.m., Comedy Escape at the China Blossom, North Andover; 781-938-8088

Mystery, Aldergate UMC Mystery Dinner Drama presents *Murder on the Grill*, '50s costumes encouraged, 6 p.m., 235 Park St., North Reading, call for prices and reservations 978-664-2951

Benefit, Wine and Food Tasting, to benefit the Ipswich River Park Development Fund, $40 per person, 6:30-10 p.m., Thomas Country Club, Rt. 62, North Reading; 978-664-6016

Opening reception, Con:StrucT::Ures by Andrew Neumann, Brush Art Gallery, free, 2-4 p.m., 256 Market St., Lowell; 978-459-7819.

Live music, Brooks Williams, $10-$12, 8 p.m., Capo's, 98 Middle St., Lowell; 978-453-5755.

Live music, Amy Beauregard, no cover, 9 p.m., Higher Ground Coffee House, 194 Middle St., Lowell; 978-453-4007.

Fiddler on the Roof, 7:30 p.m., *see May 9 entry*

Sunday, May 11

Film, *Goddess Remembered*, first film of the Women and Spirituality Trilogy by Donna Read, followed by discussion, free, 7 p.m., Unitarian Universalist Congregation in Andover, 6 Locke St.; 978-470-1134

Live music, Phillips Academy Music Department will present a senior recital featuring flutist Jeffrey Wessler performing works by Copland, Bizet, Bolling, and Gheoghan, free, 1 p.m., Timken Room, Graves Hall, Phillips Academy; 978-749-4263.

Live music, Phillips Academy Music Department will present a senior recital featuring composer and violist Andrew McManus performing works by Bach, Bruch, Bloch and Bartok, free, 4 p.m., Timken Room, Graves Hall, Phillips Academy 978-749-4263

Live music, the Greater Boston Youth Symphony Orchestras' Repertory Orchestra will present an all Mozart and Gershwin concert, Andover resident and Andover High junior Athena Hsieh will be playing the violin, $10, $7 seniors and students, 7 p.m., Tsai Performance Center, Boston University, advance tickets available at 617-353-8725 or at the door

Live music, Barbara and Al Boudreau Jazz Quartet, 4:30-8:30 p.m., Ipswich Bay Bar and Grill, 24-26 Hammatt St., Ipswich, reservations recommended, 978-356-7006

Live music, John Renbourn and Jacqui McShee, $15-$17, 7:30 p.m., Capo's, 98 Middle St., Lowell, 978-453-5755

Fiddler on the Roof, 2 p.m., *see May 9 entry*

Ongoing

Art Exhibitions

Addison Gallery of American Art, *Miracle in the Scrap Heap: The Sculpture of Richard Stankiewicz, The Paris Avenue Cubists, Gallatin, Morris, Frelinghuysen and Shaw, Jim Hodges, colorsound* and *Conversations: A Collection in Dialogue*, through July 31, gallery hours Tuesday - Saturday 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday 1-5 p.m., Addison Gallery of American Art, Phillips Academy, 978-749-4015 www.addisongallery.org

Andover Historical Society, tour the Amos Blanchard House and Barn Museum for a glimpse into life in the early 19th century. Contemporary Andover Artist Series presents Photographs of vintage cars by Steven B. Leed and Bernard J. Leed II; museum is open for tours Tuesday through Friday 1-4 p.m., $5 admission, students $3; 97 Main St.; Elaine C. Zopes 978-475-2236 www.andhist.org

Alpers Fine Art of Andover, fine art photographer Alison Shaw through May 11, gallery hours, Wednesday & Thursdays 11 a.m.-8 p.m., Saturday 10 a.m.-10 p.m., Sunday 10 a.m.-4 p.m., 2 Main St. Andover; 978-470-0013

Town Manager's office, Monday-Friday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Town Offices, 36 Bartlet St., 978-623-8200

Robert S. Peabody Museum of Archaeology, *Objects and their Meanings: Historical Highlights of the Peabody*, displays ethnographic objects from the museum's collections of North and South America and a series of photographs that

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Two original pieces – "Eight F. Two" and "Willaby Wallaby Woo," by Matt Nazzaro (above) of North Andover will be performed at Northern Essex Community College's Spring Chorus and Performance Ensemble on Saturday, May 3 at 7:30 p.m. and Sunday, May 4 at 2 p.m. in the Bentley Library conference area on the Haverhill campus. The concert features music ranging from classical to jazz to salsa. The Performance Ensemble will feature jazz and rock related to the Blues: *Super Blue* by Freddy Hubbard, *Sidewinder* by Lee Morgan, *Blue Monk* by Thelonious Monk, and *C Jam Blues* by Duke Ellington, with Bronwyn Crocker of Methuen on vocals. Admission is $3 per person. The Performance Ensemble is directed by Michael Finegold, NECC professor of fine and performing arts, philosophy, and religion. The Chorus is coached by Sabrina Quintana.

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illustrate the activities of the museum's key people during the last century; Tuesday through Saturday, noon-5 p.m., by appointment only, free admission. Phillips Academy campus, 175 Main St., 978-749-4490.

Essex Art Center, Main Gallery: I.D.; work by Jairo Cruz, Andre Hester, Leida Montañez.Elizabeth Beland Gallery: Taking Liberties; Gayle Caruso, Elaine Crivelli and Judith Larsen. Tuesday-Thursday, 10 a.m.-8 p.m., Friday 10 a.m-5 p.m., Saturday 10 a.m.-2 p.m., 56 Island St., Lawrence; 978-685-2343.

McCoy Gallery, Merrimack College; for hours: 978-837-5000, Ext., 4205.

Brush Art Gallery, *CoN:StrucT::Ures* by Andrew Neumann, May 6-June 22, gallery hours Tuesday-Saturday, 11 a.m.-4 p.m., Sunday, noon-4 p.m., 256 Market St., Lowell; 978-459-7819.

Arthur Griffin Center for Photographic Art, Main Gallery through June 13, *Sprit of the Community; Photographs of Charles "Teenie" Harris*; Tuesday-Sunday, noon to 4 p.m., $5 admission, Thursday admission is free all day, 67 Shore Road, Winchester; 781-729-1158. www.griffinmuseum.org.

Revolving Museum, *Wonders of the World (WOW) 4: Play-Land* through July 27, artist-driven museum, dedicated to presenting public art, exhibitions, educational programs, gallery hours: Tuesday-Saturday 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Sunday noon-4 p.m.

Whistler House Museum of Art, Wednesday-Saturday, 11 a.m.-4 p.m., $4, 243 Worthen St., Lowell; 978-452-7641.

J. David Broudo Gallery of Art, Monday-Friday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Endicott College, 376 Hale St.

Marianne Karp of Andover, quilt show chairman, and Gail Wozniak, of Kingston, N.H., guild president, display the raffle quilt for the Merrimack Valley Quilt Show, tomorrow, Friday, May 2, 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. and Saturday, May 3, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Holy Angels Church Hall, Route 121, Plaistow, N.H.

(Route 127) Beverly; 978-232-2250.

Sakowich Campus Center, at Merrimack College, the Fireside and First floor lounges, call for hours: 978-837-5000, Ext., 4205.

McQuade Gallery, at Merrimack College (located in the McQuade Library), gallery hours Monday through Thursday, 7:30 a.m.-11 p.m., Friday, 7:30 a.m. -6 p.m., Saturday, 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Sunday, 11 a.m.-11 p.m.; closed weekends in January; 978-837-5000, Ext., 4205.

Montserrat College of Art Gallery, *All-Senior Exhibition*, through May 23, Monday-Thursday, 11 a.m.-7 p.m.; Friday, 11 a.m.-5 p.m.; Saturday, noon-4 p.m., 23 Essex St., Beverly; 978-921-4242.

Senior Center artists, talented artists participate in art classes and enjoy the "drop-in group" on Wednesday and Thursday mornings, art display of oils, watercolors, pencil, pen and ink, pastels and oriental brush art is in the Music Room; Andover Senior Center, Whittier Court, 978-623-8321.

Memorial Hall Library, Artist of the Month series features Fran Nola, watercolors, Monday-Saturday, 9 a.m.-9 p.m., Sunday, noon-5 p.m.; 978-623-8400, www.mhl.org.

Flint Memorial Library, 147 Park St., North Reading; 978-664-4942, www.flintmemoriallibrary.org.

The State of the Art Gallery and Sculpture Garden, Rocky Neck Art Colony, Gloucester, 978-463-8883.

Cape Ann Historical Museum, Tuesday through Saturday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m., 27 Pleasant St., Gloucester; 978-283-0455.

The Saltbox Gallery, cooperative of 21 artists from the North Shore, Monday through Saturday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; 49 Main St., Topsfield; 978-887-3844.

Laura Coombs Hills Gallery, Andover photographer Wilda Gerideau-Squires, through May 1, Monday-Saturday, 11 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday, noon-5 p.m., 60 Water St., Newburyport, 978-465-8769, www.newburyportart.org.

Churchill Gallery, Monday-Saturday, 10 a.m.-5:30 p.m., Sunday, 12:30-5:30 p.m., 6 Inn St., Newburyport, 978-462-9891.

Mingo Gallery, local artists Andrew Anderson-Bell and Susan Kauder, through May 2, Tuesday-Friday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Saturday, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., 252 Cabot St., Beverly 978-927-5964.

Nevins Memorial Hall, 305 Broadway, Methuen; 978-686-4080.

Arlington Center for the Arts, Monday-Friday, 9 a.m.-6 p.m., 41 Foster St., Arlington.

Robert Lincoln Levy Gallery, Wednesday-Saturday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday, noon-4 p.m., 136 State St., Portsmouth, N.H., 603-431-4230.

Gelb Gallery at Phillips Academy, Monday-Friday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Saturday, Sunday, noon-4 p.m.; 978-475-4419.

Bravos Arts Gallery, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., One East Main St., Georgetown; 978-352-8102.

Ayer Lofts Art Gallery, a cooperative artist space in Lowell, Thursdays, 6-8 p.m., Saturday, Sunday, 1-4 p.m., 172 Middle St., Lowell; 978-970-3556 info@ayerlofts.com>.

River Gallery, Thursday through Sunday, 11 a.m. - 5 p.m., 4 Market St., Ipswich; 978-356-1559.

Robert Lehman Art Center at Brooks School, *The Art of the Theater*, through June 14, Tuesday-Friday, 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m., Saturday, 8:30 a.m.-noon, Sunday, 2:30-5 p.m., 1160 Great Pond Road, North Andover; 978-725-6232.

Another Atmosphere, 120 Pleasant St., Newburyport; 978-462-8029.

Ocmulgee Pottery & Fine Crafts, Color Woodblock Prints by Matt Brown, Tuesday through Friday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Saturdays 10 a.m.-4 p.m., 26 Market St., Ipswich; 978-356-1298.

Crescent Dragon Gallery, 59 Washington St., Haverhill; www.galleryoni.homestead.com/1.html.

Walsingham Gallery, downtown Newburyport; Monday-Wednesday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Thursday-Saturday, 10 a.m.-6 p.m., Sunday, noon-5 p.m.; 978-499-4411 www.thewalsinghamgallery.com.

North Shore Arts Association of Gloucester, featuring sculptures, paintings, Pirate's Lane, Gloucester; 978-283-1857.

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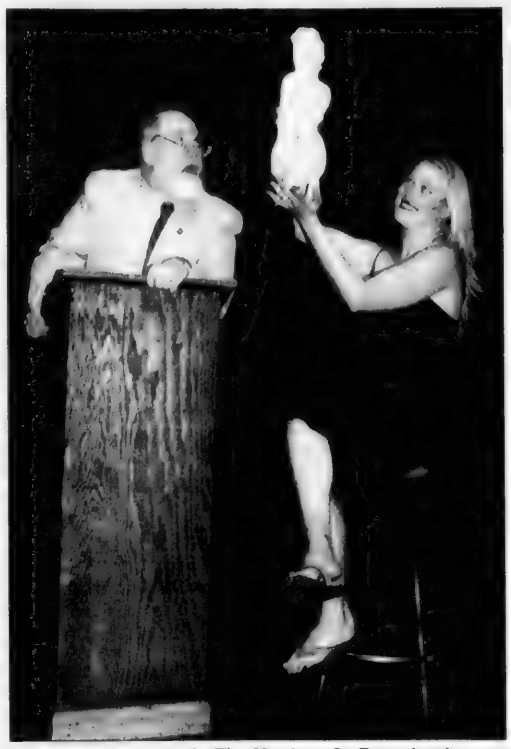

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Museums and Historic Homes

Andover Historical Society, 97 Main St.; Tour the Amos House and Barn Museum for a glimpse into life in the early 19th century. Contemporary Andover Artists Series exhibition: Photographs of Steven B. Leed and Bernard J. Leed II. The Caroline Underhill Research Library and Archives is open by appointment. The museum is open for tours Tuesday through Friday, 1-4 p.m. $5 admission, students $3; call ahead for hours. 978-475-2236 or www.andhist.org.

Museum of Printing, 800 Massachusetts Ave., North Andover, featuring antique printing equipment, $5 admission. Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Friday, 1-8 p.m., Saturday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday, 1-5 p.m.; 978-686-0450 or www.museumofprinting.org.

North Andover Historical Society, 153 Academy Road, North Andover, maintains two sites that feature museum galleries: 1789 Johnson Cottage, an artisan's home and workshop, and 1715 Parson Barnard House, depicting life from 1715-1830, 179 Osgood St. changing exhibits highlight local life from the 17th- to the 20th century, library and archive, $3 adults, $1 children, $2 seniors. Johnson Cottage, tours Tuesday-Friday 10 a.m.-noon and 2-4 p.m., $5 adults for a combined tour of both properties: 978-686-4035.

American Textile History Museum, *Generations/Transformations: American Fiber Art,* through July 20, 491 Dutton St., Lowell. Museum hours are Tuesday through Friday 9 a.m.-4 p.m.; Saturday, Sunday, and most holidays 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; admission $6 for adults; $4 for students, seniors, and groups; free for children under 6 and museum members, parking is free, and the building is wheelchair accessible; 978-441-0400 or www.athm.org.

Boott Cotton Mills Museum, Monday-Friday, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., 400 Foot of John St., Lowell.

New England Quilt Museum, *Wallflowers,* March 27-June 15, Tuesday-Saturday, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Sunday, noon-4 p.m., 18 Shattuck St., Lowell; 978-452-4207.

Lawrence Heritage State Park, open daily, 9 a.m.-4 p.m., 1 Jackson St., Lawrence; 794-1655.

Wenham Museum, $5 adults, $3 children ages 2 and up, 132 Main St., Wenham; 978-468-2377.

Custom House Maritime Museum, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Thursday and Sunday, 1-4 p.m., 25 Water St., Newburyport; its Lowell Boat Shop, 459 Main St., Amesbury, Wednesday-Sunday; 978-388-0162.

Peabody Essex Museum, The Real Witchcraft Papers, ongoing; The Saltonstall Family Portraits, ongoing; A Folk Art Sampler, ongoing; Monday-Saturday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday, noon-5 p.m., $10 adults, $8 seniors, students; free for children under 16; East India Square, Salem, Mass. 978-745-9500 www.pem.org

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Theater

Man of LaMancha, through May 18, Fridays 8 p.m., Saturdays 4 p.m and 8 p.m., Sundays 2 p.m. $25-$35, Stoneham Theater, 395 Main St., Stoneham; 781-279-2200 www.stonehamtheatre.org

The Pavilion, through May 11, Merrimack Repertory Theater, 50 E. Merrimack St. Lowell, for prices and times call; 978-454-3926, www. merrimackrep.org

Mame, through May 18, Tuesday through Saturday 8 p.m., matinees Wednesdays, Saturdays and Sundays 2 p.m., $26-$63, North Shore Music Theater, 62 Dunham Road, Beverly; 978-232-7200, www.nsmt.org

Little Women, Smulowitz Productions, May 3, through May 11, Saturdays and Sundays, $12, 2 p.m., Amesbury's Rocky Hill Meeting House, 978-463-3348

You Know I Can't Hear You When the Water's Running, for mature audiences, May 9, 10, 15, 16, 17, $10, 8 p.m., Georgrtown Theater Workshop, 22 Pleasant St., Georgetown; 978-352-6367

Meetings/Activities

Adult children of alcoholics discussion meeting, Sunday, 10-11:30 a.m., Emerson Hospital Health Center, Route 110, Westford; 978-251-3329 or 978-448-5002

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Checking out spring arts scene

■ **CRAFTS IN THE PARK**
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Another of Paige Brown's black-and-white photos

from the event are used to support the program.

More than 100 local high-schoolers have enjoyed studying abroad with some financial help from the local AFS chapter. Foreign students are welcomed into Andover homes and into Andover High School.

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Fiddler on the Roof playing next weekend

Merrimack Junior Theatre readies its spring play at Memorial Auditorium

Merrimack Junior Theatre will present *Fiddler on the Roof*, next Friday, May 9 through Sunday, May 11 in Memorial Auditorium at Doherty Middle School.

Show time on Friday and Saturday is 7:30 p.m., and Sunday's matinee performance begins at 2 p.m.

Advance tickets are available for $8 and can be purchased at Strawberry Tree on Main Street, and at the Department of Community Services in the Town Offices Building, 36 Bartlet St.

If available, tickets will be sold at the door.

Merrimack Junior Theatre is a non-profit children's theater dedicated to teaching life skills through theater arts. The spring production is comprised of performers in grades 7-10, from Andover, North Andover, and Methuen.

Fiddler on the Roof is produced by Kathy Abisso and Claudia Richards, and choreographed by Cindy Morgan. Artistic director is Josie Walker.

◀ The cast of Merrimack Junior Theatre's spring production of *Fiddler on the Roof* includes Tevye, played by Adam Sapienza (North Andover); his wife, Golde, played by Leslie Willey (Andover); and their five daughters (front row, from left: Catherine Charlebois (Andover) and Briga Heelan (Andover); middle row: Amanda Weldin (Andover), Lindsay Belanger (Andover) and Jocelyn Greene (North Andover).

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Sports

AHS ROUNDUP

Spring teams thriving on sunshine

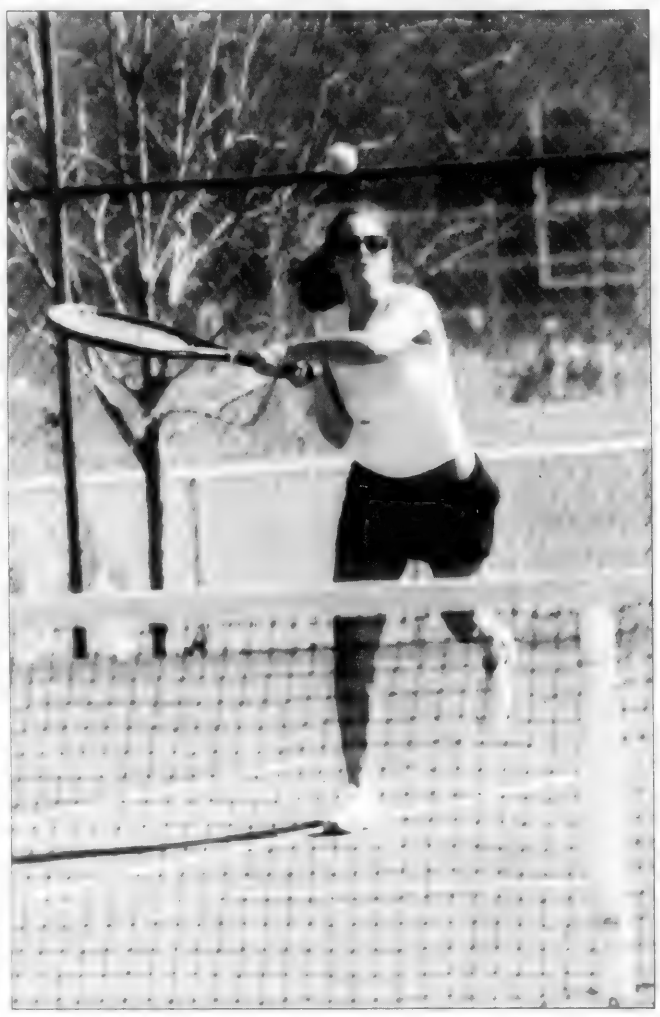
Girls lacrosse, tennis rack up the wins; boys volleyball pounds Lawrence counterparts

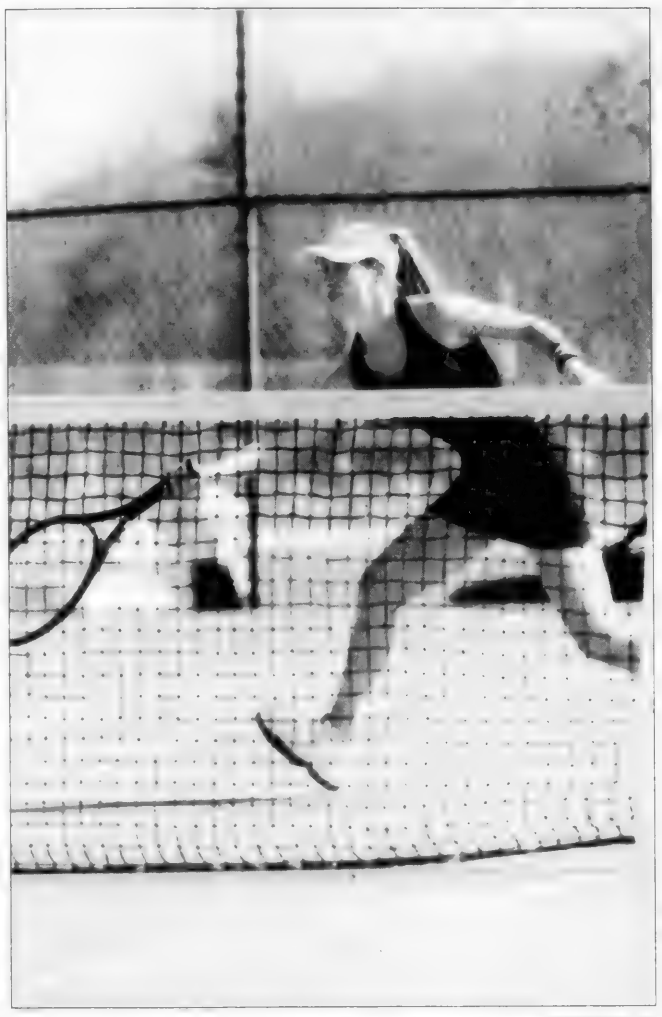
By Rick Harrison

It was a week of impressive victories and a near-miss for Andover High varsity sports teams.

Topping the list of surprising wins were an 11-10 triumph over Duxbury by the girls lacrosse team and a 2-0 sweep of Lawrence by the boys volleyball squad.

In the near-miss department, the baseball team took Chelmsford down to the wire before dropping a tough 1-0 decision to the Lions, who won the MVC 1 title last spring.





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At left, first doubles pairing Capt. Jenicka Hornung, along with sophomore Lindsay Davidson (not in photo) kept Lowell off balance. Elissa Slovin (above, right) was one of three AHS singles players winning 12 straight games over Lowell. The team's 5-0 sweeps of Lowell and Haverhill at home left the Lady Warriors perfect, with a 7-0 record.

GIRLS LACROSSE

Capt. Amanda Gallant continued her outstanding play as the Andover High girls lacrosse team stretched its season-opening win streak through seven games with recent victories over Duxbury and Algonquin Regional of Northboro.

Gallant's clutch tiebreaking goal with 1:42 to play lifted visiting AHS to an impressive 11-10 non-league triumph over south shore power Duxbury.

She then pumped in four goals and set up two others, as the Lady Warriors erased a three-goal halftime deficit on the way to an 11-8 win against non-league Algonquin.

Andover has scored double figures in each of its first seven games, outscoring the opposition by a healthy 84-35 margin overall.

Schedule

Andover (7-0) plays at Danvers this afternoon (3:30 p.m.), hosts North Andover Saturday night under the lights at Lovely Field (7 p.m.), and hosts Tyngsboro next Monday at the Doherty Middle School field (3:45).

Two games postponed earlier this month have been rescheduled.

AHS will play at Gloucester on May 12 at 4 p.m. and host Masconomet Regional of Topsfield on May 19 at 3:45 p.m.

Andover 11
Duxbury 10

Coach Ryan Polley rated this the second most important victory, behind the North League title-clinching win over Marblehead last spring, in the brief history of the AHS girls lacrosse program.

It is, however, the strongest team the Lady Warriors have ever beaten.

Duxbury leapt to a 5-1 lead midway through the first half, but by the break Andover had trimmed its deficit to 5-4.

The Lady Warriors scored the first four goals of the second half, making it seven straight goals to give the locals an 8-5 advantage.

Duxbury regrouped to score four in a row for a 9-8 edge, and then Andover connected twice and Duxbury once to forge a 10-10 tie and set the stage for Amanda Gallant's clutch game-winner with 1:42 left.

"It was a simple 1-on-1 isolation and Amanda's shot beat their goalie," said coach Polley.

"After that we tried to stall, but we turned the ball over with about 20 seconds left to give them a last opportunity to tie it."

That chance was thwarted, however, when Ali McCoy and defense wing Ashley Hegarty double-teamed the Duxbury player with the ball and knocked it out of the webbing of her stick as time ran out.

Junior Jeannie Lothrop once again led the attack with four goals, while Gallant finished with three goals and one assist.

Diana Crawford contributed two goals and two assists, Grace Farnham a goal and assist, and Demorie Crawford added a goal. McCoy also had an assist.

"Lothrop scored four of our first five goals," said Polley. "She and Gallant and the Crawfords played very strong and smart games.

"You can't win games against opponents of this caliber without a team effort. Duxbury has one of the best offenses we've faced, and holding them to 10 goals was a major accomplishment.

"Our girls kept their composure when we were down, 5-1, and showed a lot of heart by coming back," said Polley.

Capt. Jennie Williams played the entire game in net and made eight saves.

Andover 11
Algonquin Regional 8

AHS fell behind 6-3 at the half, but tied the game with three goals in the first four minutes of the second half before adding three more for a 9-6 lead.

"We were more aggressive in the second half," said coach Polley. "We controlled most of the loose balls and our offense kicked into gear.

"Jennie Williams played an outstanding second half in goal. Algonquin had some very good scoring chances but Jennie made 10 of her 13 saves in the second half."

Amanda Gallant, who had a second-half hat trick, led the offense with four goals and two assists.

Jeannie Lothrop and Demorie Crawford contributed two goals each, and singletons were provided by Grace Farnham, Ali McCoy and Stephanie Sweeney.

Lothrop also passed out two assists while Demorie Crawford, Diana Crawford, Kate Nichols and Farnham had one each.

In addition to Gallant, Polley lauded the play of junior attack wing Sweeney and Lindsay Mann.

GIRLS TENNIS

The Andover High girls tennis team remained perfect, improving to 7-0 overall and in Merrimack Valley Conference play, with 5-0 sweeps of Lowell and Haverhill at the AHS courts.

Against Lowell the Lady Warriors duplicated a feat performed two weeks ago versus Notre Dame Academy, winning all five matches without losing a game (6-0, 6-0 sweeps).

Schedule

The Lady Warriors played at Billerica yesterday, after *Townsman* presstime, and host Lawrence tomorrow (3:30 p.m.).

Andover 5
Lowell 0

AHS singles players winning 12 straight games were No. 1 Marsha Mogilevich, No. 2 Hannah Zarkar and No. 3 Elissa Slovin.

A junior, freshman and sophomore respectively, the three underclass standouts defeated Lowell's Krista Lambroukas, Courtney Decker and Cassie Farris.

First doubles pairing Capt. Jenicka Hornung and sophomore Lindsay Davidson blitzed the Red Raiders' Anne Le and Emily Smith.

Completing the string of 6-0, 6-0 sweeps at second doubles was the team of sophomore Reena Patel and junior Stephanie Hargadon, who trampled Caitlin Decker and Kathy Bo.

BOYS TENNIS

Playing without its first two singles standouts, and with a new doubles pairing, the Andover High boys tennis team dropped a 3-2 decision to host Lowell in a Merrimack Valley Conference match.

The Golden Warriors bounced back to beat Haverhill, 5-0, with the split leaving the locals at 3-3 overall and 3-2 in conference matches.

Schedule

AHS hosted Billerica yesterday, after Townsman presstime, and plays at Lawrence tomorrow (3:30 p.m.).

The makeup of a rained out match against Methuen has been set for next Tuesday at Andover.

Lowell 3
Andover 2

The Golden Warriors were less than 100 percent with two of their captains, No. 1 singles Jason Lynn (lingering

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AHS ROUNDUP

■ BOYS TENNIS

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virus) and No. 2 Alex Cline, both out of the lineup for this match at Lowell's Shedd Park.

The two Andover wins came at third singles and second doubles.

Junior Brian Axelrod battled from behind to win a hard-fought 1-6, 6-1, 7-6 (7-2) victory over Lowell's Rong Chim.

At second doubles, sophomore Mike Zakin and freshman Jeremy Hogan swept past Hong Nguyen and Brendan White, 7-5, 6-1.

First and second singles could have gone either way, with Lowell's Helder Nogueira edging junior Jason Edelstein 5-7, 6-0, 6-2 and Bill Ryan squeezing past Avi Lasser 7-6 (7-2), 7-5.

"I'm proud of how well our kids played," said AHS coach Mike Wartman. "Everyone battled hard.

"Edelstein did an excellent job, especially in the opening set, against Nogueira who is one of the top players in the league.

"Avi Lasser is primarily a doubles player. This was his first singles match of the season and it came against one of the best second singles players in the conference (Ryan).

"Zakin and Hogan were playing doubles together for the first time and they came through with a nice win," said Wartman.

Andover 5
Haverhill 0

The host Hillies (1-4) offered almost no resistance as four of the five matches, and nine of the 10 sets, were 6-0 Andover wins.

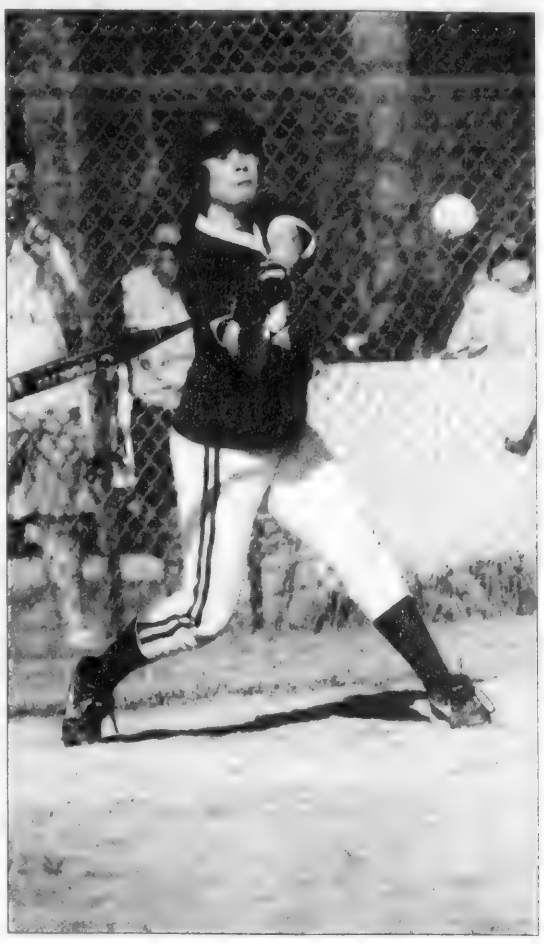
Jason Lynn, getting the OK from his doctors, returned to the lineup and beat John Murphy 6-0, 6-0 at first singles.

Jason Edelstein and Dave Szafarz also captured 12 straight games over Haverhill's Glenn Kimball and Jim DeMeo at second and third singles.

First doubles was more of the same, Brian Axelrod and Avi Lasser returning to the more comfortable confines of doubles to register a 6-0, 6-0 victory over John Bramhall and Guy Kelley.

At second doubles, AHS juniors Dave Tankelfsky and Dan Jordan were 6-4, 6-0 winners over Matt Karembelas and Mike Archambault.

It was the first varsity match for Tankelfsky and the first time he and Jordan had played together as a team.



At left, Lauren Vieira takes a cut against Lawrence on Monday, a game won by the Lady Warriors, 5-4. Above, Missy Borger fires a pitch toward the plate.

BASEBALL

Kyle Ahern pitched a complete-game four-hitter and struck out seven, and Jarrett Mackin ripped a bases-loaded single that plated three runs, as the Andover High varsity baseball team trimmed Dracut, 6-4, in a Merrimack Valley Conference crossover game.

Runs were hard to come by for the Golden Warriors in three other recent games.

They suffered a pair of Merrimack Valley Conference losses to Chelmsford, 1-0, and Billerica, 6-1, and also dropped a 4-1 decision to Wakefield in the championship game of the Wakefield Warrior Classic.

Those results left coach Ken Maglio's crew at 5-5 overall and 2-3 in MVC play.

Schedule

AHS hosted Methuen yesterday, after *Townsman* presstime, and treks to Lowell tomorrow for a game at Alumni Field.

Monday the locals are at Merrimack College versus Central Catholic.

The rematch with Chelmsford is next Wednesday afternoon at Peter Aumais Park (all games at 3:30 p.m.).

Stat Leaders

Through the first 10 games of the season, freshman Paul Malaguti is the leading AHS hitter with a sizzling .591 average on 13-for-22.

Brian Buckley is next at .353 on 12-for-34. Joel Keefe .344 on 11-for-32 and Matt Hogan .333 on 9-for-27.

Jarrett Mackin, Paul Skinner, Buckley and Hogan are tops in runs scored with six each, while Mackin has eight RBI and Matt Hennessy six.

Keefe has three doubles and Matt Hennessy the team's only triple.

On the mound, Jon Shaw is 2-1 with a 1.24 ERA, Kyle Ahern 1-1 with a 1.31 ERA, Brett Carroll 1-1 with a 4.38 ERA and Matt Hogan 1-0 with a 0.00 ERA.

Andover 6
Dracut 4

The Golden Warriors scored four runs in the second and two in the third to grab a 6-0 lead, and then held on as host Dracut chipped away in the late innings.

Andover loaded the bases in the second stanza, scoring when freshman flash Paul Malaguti was hit by a pitch to force in a run before Mackin laced his bases-clearing single.

In the third Ryan Shepard walked with the bases loaded to force in another run, and Paul Skinner's infield out chased home the final AHS tally.

The Middies (1-7) scored a run in the third and added two in the sixth on RBI singles by Scott Thomas and Brian Bent.

Dracut caused some anxious moments in the seventh, trimming the deficit to 6-4 after a walk, two-base error and RBI infield out by Dan Dumont.

With the tying runs at the corners and two out, Ahern knocked down a knee-high line drive back to the mound and threw the batter out at first to end the game.

Joel Keefe and Matt Hogan laced two hits each for AHS while Mackin, Malaguti and Brian Buckley contributed a safety each.

Scoring a run apiece were Malaguti, Keefe, Hogan, Skinner, Shepard and Matt Iorio.

Bent doubled and singled for Dracut.

Chelmsford 1
Andover 0

The Golden Warriors gave the reigning MVC 1 champs all they could handle, but host Chelmsford pushed across the game's only run in the bottom of the sixth at Ayotte Field.

Junior Kyle Ahern pitched an outstanding game for AHS, scattering three hits over six innings while fanning six and walking two.

Lions' lefthander Bobby Brown was just a shade better, allowing six hits, whiffing four and issuing no walks in a complete-game effort.

Brown also singled home Sean Patno with the only run, after Patno started the winning rally by reaching on an infield error. He moved to second on Dave Leach's sacrifice bunt and to third on a single by Anthony Santos.

Paul Malaguti had a pair of infield hits for Andover, while adding a single each were Ryan Shepard, Brian Buckley (infield), Matt Iorio and Paul Skinner.

The Golden Warriors had at least one baserunner in five of the seven innings.

The most serious threat came in the fifth. Iorio and Skinner rapped consecutive one-out singles, but Iorio was tagged out in a rundown between third and home.

In the third Malaguti singled, stole second and took third on an infield out. Another infield grounder ended the inning and the bid.

Billerica 6
Andover 1

The locals managed only two hits off BMHS lefthander Kevin Graham, and the Indians broke open a 1-1 game with three runs in the fifth and two in the top of the seventh.

Jarrett Mackin and freshman Paul Malaguti had the only safeties for AHS, while Mackin scored the lone run in the second after a Billerica error.

Junior Pat Bateson pitched six innings of six-hit ball for Andover, and reliever Brett Carroll was nicked for a pair of runs in the seventh after yielding two hits and walking two.

Matt Kneeland paced Billerica with a double, single and three RBI. Dan Pope laced three hits and leadoff batter Steve Simolaris singled, doubled, scored twice and drove in a run

SOFTBALL

Three recent victories have lifted the Andover High varsity softball team's record over the .500 mark.

The Lady Warriors started their mini-win streak with a 13-2 Merrimack Valley Conference romp over Haverhill.

A 3-1 non-league triumph over North Andover and 5-4 MVC squeeze past Lawrence High followed.

Those results left coach Steph Ragucci's team at 4-3 overall and 3-1 in conference play.

Schedule

Andover played at Dracut yesterday, after *Townsman* presstime, and returns to action tomorrow afternoon (3:30 p.m.) with a non-league home game against Nazareth Academy of Wakefield.

Monday the Lady Warriors host Notre Dame Academy of Tyngsboro (3:30), and Wednesday they travel to face perennial power Chelmsford under the lights at Southwell Field (7 p.m.).

Andover 13
Haverhill 2

The visiting Lady Warriors, who grabbed a 3-0 lead in the second inning, were in control throughout and broke the game wide open with seven runs in the top of the seventh.

Caitlin Carpentier pitched a complete-game five-hitter, struck out nine and walked only one in a solid performance. She blanked Haverhill over the final four innings.

"It was a very cold day and Caitlin did a remarkable job gripping the ball and hitting her spots," said coach Ragucci. "She worked her way out of a couple jams and had plenty of wiggle room with the 13 runs."

AHS jumped ahead 2-0 in the first when Capt. Jess Leider walked, stole second and scored on a long triple to left-center by Emily Farmer. Kerrie Dargan then lofted a sacrifice fly

In the second Liz Pallotta singled, stole second, moved to third on a passed ball and crossed on a two-out single to center by Leider

The teams traded runs in the third, Andover scoring on a bases-loaded walk to Lauren Vieira after a single to center by Farmer, dropped fly ball and walk to Meagan Merinder.

The lead jumped to 6-2 in the fifth when Merinder walked, Vieria was hit by a pitch, both advanced on a wild pitch, and back-to-back RBI bunt singles were laid down by Lindsey Timko and Leider

"Both baserunners at third were moving on contact, so they were able to score pretty easily on the bunts," said Ragucci

The locals sent 12 batters to the plate in the seven-run seventh, which was greatly aided by five Haverhill errors. There was also a walk, hit batsman and singles by Vieira and Leider

Farmer finished a perfect 3-for-3 at the plate, with two RBI, while Leider was 3-for-5 with a pair of ribbies

Vieira and Dargan also had two RBI each

Defensive standouts included Farmer at first base and Vieira behind the plate.

"Lauren is improving every game at catcher," said Ragucci "She caught a little last summer, but basically she just jumped in there for us this season. It's hard to come in and do well right away at that position. But she's learning fast"

BOYS VOLLEYBALL

A quartet of impressive 2-0 victories over Merrimack Valley Conference rivals Lawrence, Lowell, Westford Academy and Dracut moved the Andover High boys varsity volleyball team within one win of a Division 1 North Tournament berth

Coach George Sullivan's crew, kicking it into high gear, improved to 10-3 overall and 9-3 in terms of MIAA Tournament qualification

Schedule

AHS next hosts Central Catholic on Monday at the Dunn Gym (5:30 p.m.), plays at Methuen on Wednesday (4 p.m.) and hosts St. John's Prep of Danvers on Friday (4 p.m.)

New arrival

Coach Sullivan became a grandfather for the first time last week. Granddaughter Caroline

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Meagan Merinder makes contact against Lawrence on Monday.

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is healthy and doing well.

Andover 2
Lawrence 0

The visiting Lancers entered this match with a 9-1 record, which included a 2-1 win over Andover on April 7.

The rematch was an AHS sweep by game scores of 30-25 and 30-22.

"I'm not surprised we won," said Sullivan. "But our best effort of the season came after two days of lackadaisical practices. The kids were in a vacation-week mood. Their minds were elsewhere.

"But once this match started they came alive — like flicking on a light switch. Everyone was up and full of enthusiasm. Lawrence was the team that looked sluggish.

"We banged the ball hard and picked open spots on the floor. The only negative was seven bad serves — something we've been working hard to correct," said Sullivan.

Senior middle hitter Cameron Day had a huge match on the attack with a season-high 13 kills and 19-for-20 hitting. He also was tops in serving with 12-for-13.

Others strong at the net were Andy Ahern (11-for-14, six kills), Matt Monteiro (10-for-13, six kills), Jake Kleinman (5-for-7, four kills), David Hsu (5-for-9, four kills) and Steve Gerstein (9-for-11, two kills).

Serving well were Tim An (10-for-11), Hsu (9-for-9), Gerstein (7-for-10) and Monteiro (5-for-5, one ace).

Sean Cummings was 6-for-8 serving and played strong defense before leaving the court with a shoulder injury.

Capt. Shawn Furey also contributed strong back-court defense.

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The Andover JVs won their ninth straight match in the prelim, 2-0, with lopsided game scores of 30-11 and 30-17.

Solid at net were Jerry Mohan (12-for-14 hitting, four kills), Pardeep Thandi (7-for-8, three kills), Alex Day (7-for-7), Mike Gianopoulos (7-for-7), Pat Hughes (5-for-5, one kill) and Chris James (5-for-7).

Thandi was also a perfect 14-for-14 serving, James 12-for-12 with three aces, Dan Jun 8-for-9 with one ace, Adam Spang 6-for-6 and Sam Silverman 5-for-6 with one ace.

Andover 2
Lowell 0

Injured Capt. Steve Johnson returned to the lineup, but the locals still were not at 100 percent for this match.

Junior Sean Cummings sat out with a bruised shoulder, suffered against Lawrence, and senior outside hitter David Hsu was away at Northwestern University on a college visit.

"We resembled the walking wounded but the combination of our excellent play and Lowell's (post-vacation) sluggishness made for an easy win," said Sullivan.

The Golden Warriors did sweep handily by scores of 30-19 and 30-15.

Cameron Day continued his fine all-around play with 19-for-23 hitting, four kills, 2-for-2 serving and 11 defensive digs.

Other solid hitters were Jake Kleinman (6-for-6, two kills), Andy Ahern (5-for-5), Steve Gerstein (5-for-7), Matt Monteiro (3-for-4, three kills) and Ian McMahon (2-for-2, one kill).

Serving well were Kleinman (12-for-14), setter Tim An (9-for-9), Johnson who stayed in the back row (8-for-9), Shawn Furey (4-for-4), Casey Cho (3-for-3), Gerstein (3-for-3) and Jake Minton.

Furey added eight digs and An was a defensive standout.

"We ran a 5-1, with An at setter, and he mixed things up well," said Sullivan.

The win completed a sweep of the two home-and-away matches with Lowell this spring.

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The AHS junior varsity remained invincible with a 2-0 sweep of Lowell, winning the games by lopsided 30-11 and 30-9 scores.

Hitting well were Alex Day (6-for-6, three kills), Jerry Mohan (6-for-7, three kills), Nick Assad (4-for-5, three kills), Chris James (4-for-4), Darren McRoy (3-for-3) and Mike Gianacopoulos (2-for-2).

James was the top server, 16-for-17 with four aces, and he was backed by Dan Jun (10-for-11, five aces), Chris Cho (8-for-8), Pardeep Thandi (5-for-6, two aces) and Adam Spang (5-for-5).

Sam Silverman had eight digs and played strong back-court defense.

Andover 2
Westford Academy 0

The upstart Grey Ghosts gave AHS all it could handle in the first game, before the locals prevailed 30-27, and the Golden Warriors led 27-15 in game two before settling for a 30-21 victory to complete the sweep at the Dunn Gym.

"Westford has improved since the first time we played them (2-0 win April 11)," said Sullivan. "I can't believe they've won only three matches.

"Our kids may have taken them too lightly. We also may have had a letdown after playing so well against Lowell.

"We trailed most of the first game. If they had won that game the whole match might have gone differently," said Sullivan.

Cameron Day sparked Andover with 21-for-22 hitting, seven kills, 20-for-23 serving, one ace and solid defense (20 digs).

Andy Ahern went 15-for-19 hitting, with eight kills, and Matt Monteiro was 10-for-13 with five kills.

Jake Kleinman had two kills and finished 8-for-8 hitting, Steve Gerstein was 6-for-10 with one kill, Shawn Furey 9-for-10 and David Hsu 3-for-4 with two kills.

Steve Johnson, again playing only in the back row, was 10-for-12 serving and 12-for-15 passing.

Tim An went 8-for-9 serving, with one ace, and other top servers included Gerstein (5-for-5), Casey Cho (4-for-4), Kleinman (3-for-3) and Monteiro (2-for-2).

Hsu, who has narrowed his college choices to Northwestern and Cornell, was 6-for-6 serving.

Furey also had 28 digs in 35 attempts.

Sean Cummings remained sidelined with the shoulder injury.

"Our bench has played very well," said Sullivan. "With the injuries to Johnson and Cummings they've stepped up nicely."

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The Andover JVs (11-0) kept rolling with a 2-0 victory in the prelim, beating Westford by game scores of 30-17 and 30-22.

Top hitters were Jerry Mohan (13-for-13), Chris James (8-for-10, two kills), Matt Jacobs (8-for-9), Pat Hughes (5-for-5, one kill), Nick Assad (4-for-4, one kill), Mike Gianopoulos (4-for-5) and Alex Day (2-for-3).

Sam Silverman was 11-for-11 serving, Pardeep Thandi 11-for-12 with one ace, Adam Spang 10-for-10, James 8-for-9 with two aces, Dan Jun 7-for-8 and Darren McRoy 5-for-5 with two aces.

Jun, Jacobs and Chris Cho were defensive standouts.

BOYS LACROSSE

The Andover High boys lacrosse team split a pair of recent Merrimack Valley/Dual County League Alliance games, dropping a 12-9 decision to host Concord-Carlisle in a makeup and slipping past perennial power Billerica, 10-9.

Those results left the Golden Warriors at 3-4 overall.

Schedule

Andover hosts MVC/DCL Alliance rival Lincoln-Sudbury this afternoon at the Shawsheen field (4 p.m.), and has another league game next Monday at home against Concord-Carlisle (both 4 p.m.).

Andover plays a makeup game at Lincoln-Sudbury on Monday, May 12 at 4 p.m.

Concord-Carlisle 12
Andover 9

Freshman midfielder Buddy Farnham continued his consistent offensive play, scoring a hat trick, while senior middie Aaron Dynes and Dan Andrews netted two goals apiece for the fast-finishing locals.

It took a long time for AHS to get untracked, as multi-time former state champ C-C led 6-2 at the half and 9-2 after three quarters.

The Golden Warriors exploded for seven goals in the final period, thanks in part to several Patriot penalties, but the deficit was too much to overcome.

Freshman attack Mike Lamagna and Capt. Steve Seero contributed a goal each, while Capt. Nick Stamas passed out three assists, Seero two and Farnham one.

OUTDOOR TRACK

Andover returned to dual meet action yesterday at Haverhill, after *Townsman* presstime.

Both the AHS girls and boys entered that meet with 2-0 records.

Last weekend the scheduled Tewksbury Girls Invitational and Haverhill Boys Invitational Meets were cancelled because of heavy rains.

Neither meet can be made up because there are no available dates for the rest of the spring.

DUAL STATE CHAMPS

PHOTO BY SUSAN NADER

Andover PeeWee III hockey team won the Dual State League Championship against Nashua on April 19. David Nader was awarded Game MVP trophy by former Boston Bruin Don Marcotte. The team also won the Mass. District and Tier IV State Championship, Valley League Division. Back row: Wayne Nader, Don Marcotte, Larry Moschitto, Tom Sambuco, Joe Cahill, Jim Mattison. Middle: Steven LaFortune, Ben Roberge, Rick Shanahan, David Nader, Jake Mattison, James Shannon. Front: Michael Emmons, Chris Caradonna, Kelly Cooke, Mike Cahill, Andy Moschitto and Matt Sambuco. Not in the photo: Greg Hanafin, Paul Hunter and Matt Newton.

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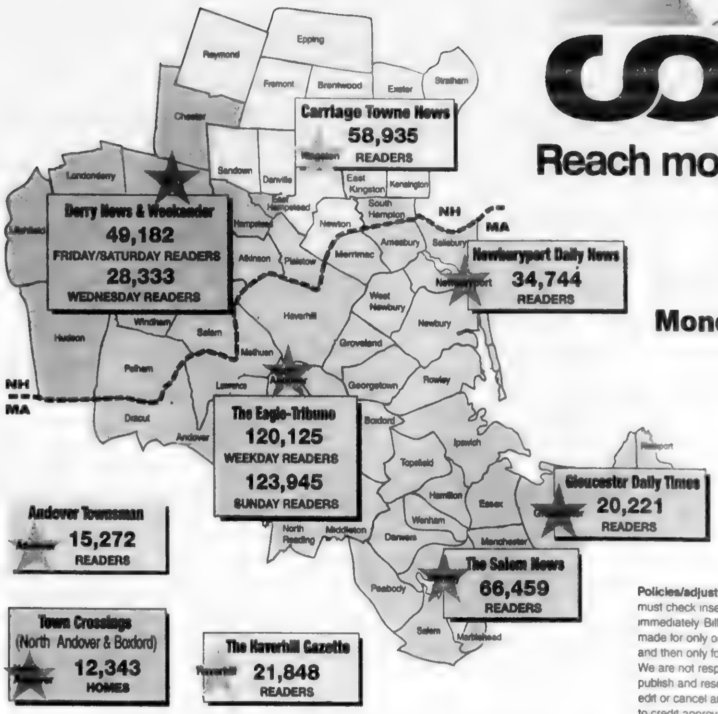

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Date of Death August 11, 2001

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May 1, 2003

Commonwealth Of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate And Family Court Department
ESSEX Division
Docket No. 03P0960EP1

In the ESTATE OF JOYCE M. ROUSSEAU
Late of ANDOVER
In the County of ESSEX
Date of Death February 22, 2003

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that JOSEPH D. ROUSSEAU of ANDOVER in the County of ESSEX be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT SALEM, ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00 AM) ON MAY 27, 2003.

In addition you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating the specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. JOHN C. STEVENS, III ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at SALEM this day, April 25, 2003.

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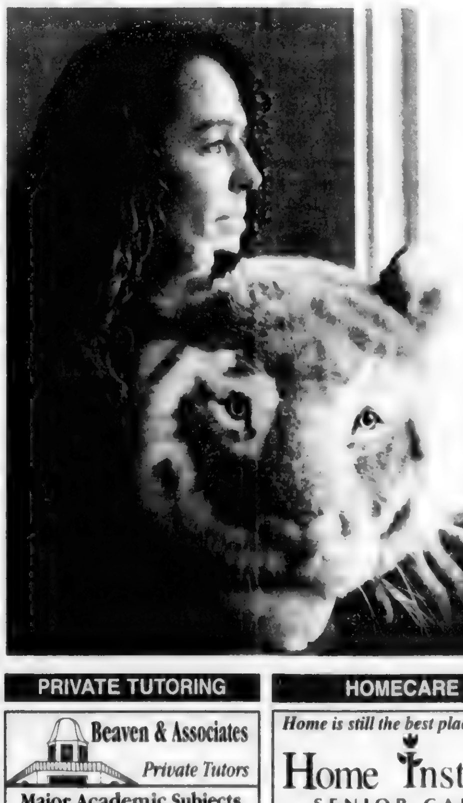

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26-50
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27 Commercial Property

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HAVERHILL MA [illegible]

METHUEN, MA [illegible]

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29 Investment Property

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30 Businesses For Sale

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31MA Homes MA

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DERRY, NH Cooper Resale, 8 room, 4 bedroom, 2.5 bath, 1+ acre, New England Colonial, Established Cul de sac neighborhood [illegible] $2[illegible]

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53 Condos/Townhomes

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ANDOVER MA 3 bedroom duplex close to town, train, bus. Washer/dryer, hardwoods, parking $1,500 no utilities, no smoking 978-470-4940

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ANDOVER MA- Excellent Location Downtown. Sunny one bedroom hardwood floors A/C one year lease, no pets $850 a month Call 978-475-9796

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ANDOVER, MA - Large 1 bedroom apartment with 1.5 bath in great location. Private yard & driveway. Lots of character. Close to train, downtown & schools. Pets ok $1,[illegible] 978-[illegible]

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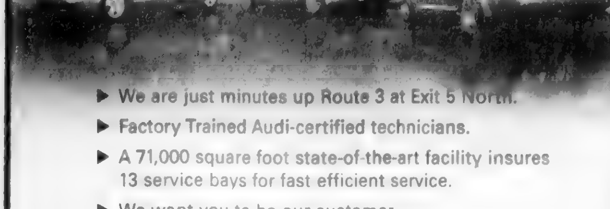

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ANDOVER ~ $389,900
10 Virginia Rd. Great 6 room Ranch. 3 bedrooms, hardwood floors, fireplace [illegible] home state
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METHUEN ~ $389,900
10 Briarcliff Rd. *1st ad!* [illegible]
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ANDOVER ~ $819,900
Lot 8 Whittemore Ter. New Construction! 10/4/3.5 Colonial in new subdivision. Hardwoods, gourmet KIT, fireplaced FR, 1st floor laundry, master suite w/sitting area w/fireplace. C/a, C/v, 3 car garage & security. Call/Visit Arlene Santangelo **978-482-4115.**

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ANDOVER ~ $599,900
3 Deca Cir. young Col in mint condition! 8/4/3 w/lg eat-in KIT. FR w/cath ceil & fp. LR opens to DR. Recently painted inside & out. Security, 2 car garage and new c/a system. Call/Visit Debby Hughes **978-482-4113.**

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ANDOVER ~ $429,900
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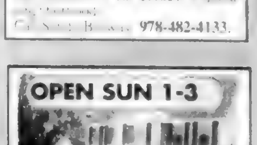
METHUEN - $464,900
26 Morgan Dr. [illegible] farmer's porch, 24X24 family room with gas fireplace [illegible] Jacuzzi, 2 car garage [illegible]
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ANDOVER - $660,000
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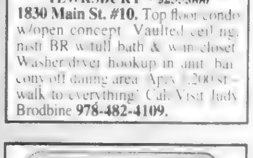
ANDOVER ~ $564,900
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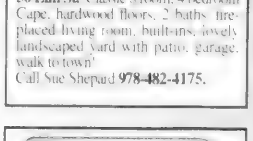
NORTH ANDOVER ~ $659,900
140 Gray St. Young, mint 4+ bedroom Colonial, cathedral ceiling fireplaced family room, master with Jacuzzi, vaulted ceiling 3rd floor room with skylights, gorgeous lot, acre
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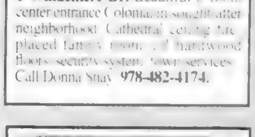
ANDOVER ~ $749,900
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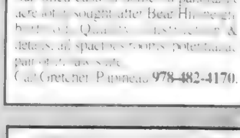
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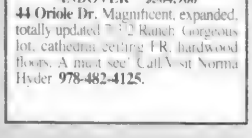
NORTH ANDOVER ~ $184,900
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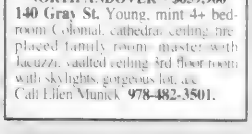
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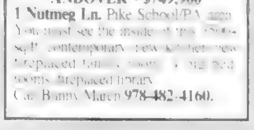
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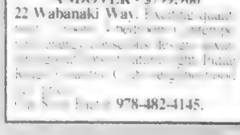
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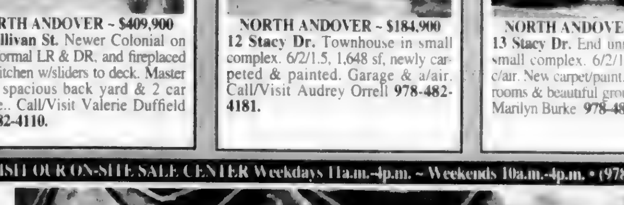
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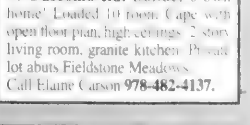
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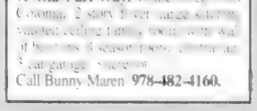
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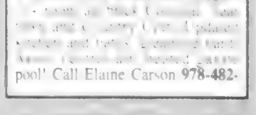
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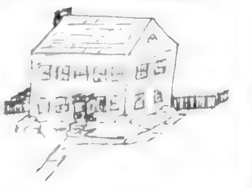

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ANDOVER, MA - 5 Tavyna Lane Sat. 5/3, 9-2 pm. Moving everything must go! Furniture, household, CD's, sports equipment, tools, [illegible] No early birds

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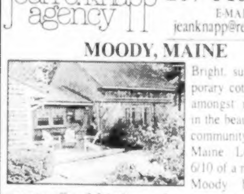
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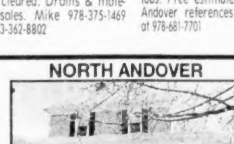
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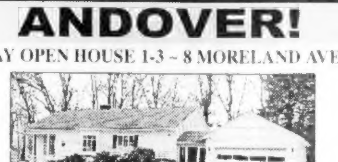
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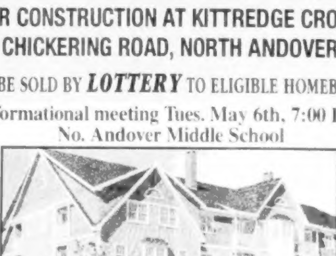

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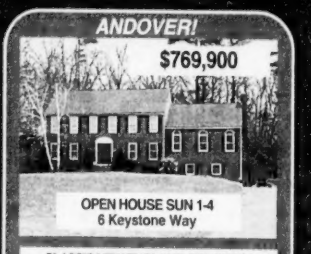
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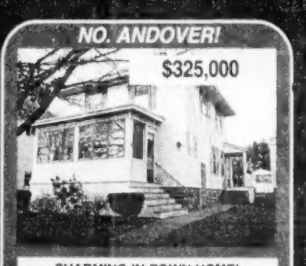
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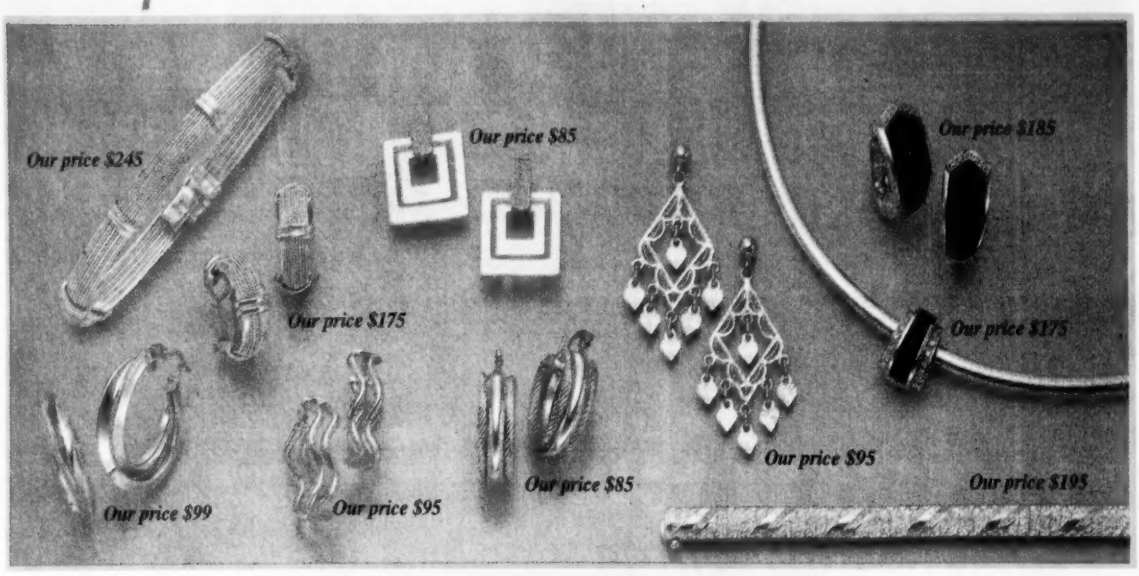

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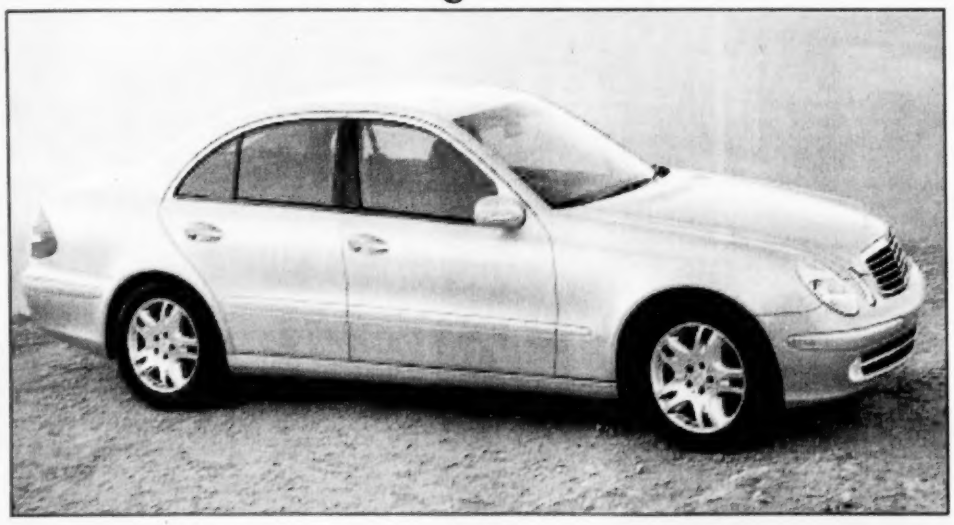

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